

# POLICE SEEK IN CEMETERY FOR NAKED MADMAN

## Captured Escaped Convict Tries to End His Life in Prison Cell

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# MYSTERY SHROUDS DISAPPEARANCE OF AN OAKLAND MILLIONAIRE'S SON

## TRIES TO KILL HIMSELF IN HIS CELL

Captured Escaped Convict From Folsom Makes Effort to End Life

SLASHES WRISTS AND SEEKS TO STRANGLE

Police Discover Him in Time to Save Him From Death Sought

THE following note was found in the cell in which Alexander Hagan had attempted to end his life:

"Good-bye, Michael; I can't go one way, but there is another. Excuse the match. Good-bye and good luck to you."

The note is written with a match and is only to be read in the darkness. It was found in a tin portion of the cell, its phosphorescent glare attracting the attention of a trusty at work cleaning out the apartment.

**SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.**—With eighteen years' imprisonment at hard labor staring him in the face, Alexander Hagan, one of the two Folsom convicts who broke from jail last Monday, and after four days of flight was apprehended on the water front yesterday morning and locked up in the city prison, this morning shortly after 2 o'clock, attempted to end his life by slashing his wrists with the jagged edge of a tin cup, and hanging himself to the bars over his prison by a rope made of strips of his overalls that he had torn under the protection of the darkness of his cell.

The prisoner was discovered at 2:25 this morning by Foreman of the City Prison George Collins, on one of his hourly trips about the prison. The man was near to death when cut down by the policeman, but is now partly recovered and by the time Warden Riley arrives from the penitentiary to take back the escaped convicts, Hagan will be well again.

All day yesterday the prisoner and his fellow conspirator in their daring jail break, sang in their cells and willingly confided to interviewers the story of their hardships and hairbreadth escapes from pursuers.

## Wishes for Death

Only once did Hagan consult himself, and allow a hint of what his real thoughts were about. This was when City Prison keeper Cogan said, "I guess they'll make a hot lot for you when you get back."

"Yes," replied Hagan, "I wish to find they had made certain of their aim when we first broke away."

Little attention was paid to the remark, however, and that the prisoner would attempt to end his life was farthest from the minds of the jailers. Last evening, when the prisoners were served supper, the tin cup of coffee was given to Hagan as is done with all occupants of the jail.

## Prepares to Die

When the trusty who served the supper came for the cup, Hagan decided another trusty had called for it. Thinking nothing of this, the trusty accepted the statement and walked away. As soon as the lights in the prison were turned down, and only a dim glare was cast over the cells, it is presumed that Hagan tore his tin cup into two pieces. He then set to work and, stripping off his trousers, tore them into long strips. These he tied together into a long rope. He then rested and waited until the dead of the night was at hand before he commenced the operation of fixing his seat.

When the rope had been tied to the bars, stretched by one end and the other fixed securely about his neck, Hagan slashed both his wrists, hoping to sever arteries, and then kicked his small stool from under him.

## Saved by Police

The fall was not long enough to break his neck, but he would undoubtedly have been asphyxiated from suffocation had not Collins arrived when he did. As it is, the

ALEXANDER HAGAN, Captured Escaped Convict Who Attempted to Commit Suicide in His Cell Today.



## LOCKS BURGLAR IN CELLAR, BUT HE FLEES

Society Woman Tries to Trap Thief She Finds in Her Home

TELEPHONES TO POLICE TO COME TO HER AID

Second Robber Caught in Act Is Safely Taken to City Prison

**SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.**—A society woman and burglar, who came of noble and well-to-do family, and who had been in the city for some time, was caught in her home yesterday afternoon. The first attack occurred yesterday afternoon on Central avenue, about 5 o'clock. Beals, accused his wife of being late in getting home to prepare his supper, and struck her several times with his fist.

After getting into the house the couple quarreled again about the delayed supper. Flying into an uncontrollable rage, the angry man seized his razor and cut his wife into insensibility.

## Burglar Gets Away

It was through this opening that the burglar effected an entrance.

As yet the amount of loot taken by the housebreaker has not been ascertained by Mrs. Curtis, but it is thought that several hundred dollars in jewelry will be found missing. Mrs. Curtis describes the burglar as a short, heavily built, dark haired person.

Caught in Act

Edward Kiel of 1578 Fell street, and a similar apartment last evening, when on his return from a dinner, he found his housebreaker busy at work ransacking the residence. However, in this case, the thief was captured after a short struggle with Kiel and turned over to Policeman Hurley.

The thief given the name of Frank Morton. He was in the act of rifling a drawer of a buffet in the dining room when Kiel grappled with him.

## Confident Tariff Measure Will Pass

**WASHINGTON, April 2.**—The Republican leaders of the House today as the result of a careful canvass, expressed absolute confidence in their ability to pass the tariff bill whenever they decided to put it upon its passage.

The decision now is to put the bill on its passage next Wednesday.

## USES REVOLVER AS CLUB ON HIS WIFE

Victim Is Severely Injured and Blows May Yet Prove Fatal

TWO ATTACKS MADE UPON HER BY MAN

Because She Fails to Have Meal Ready on Time He Hits Her

Beaten unconscious by her infuriated husband, who used a revolver as a club, Mrs. Charles E. Beals, of Vista and Central avenues, Melrose, escaped, after regaining her senses, by crawling over a fence in the back yard of her residence and fleeing into the darkness.

Although wounded severely, the woman, alternately crawling and walking, made her way to the home of a friend, Mrs. A. Roseman, 1807 Fortieth street, Melrose, where she fell fainting in the hallway. All through the night she was out of her head and this morning was removed to the home of her mother, Mrs. O'Connell, of Union street, Oakland, where she is receiving medical attention. It is not known whether the injuries will prove fatal or not.

Beals, after the attack, escaped and has not yet been arrested, although a posse is on his trail.

The woman was the victim of two attacks by her husband, who is a special officer of the police of the Kennedy Lumber Company. The first attack occurred yesterday afternoon on Central avenue, about 5 o'clock. Beals accused his wife of being late in getting home to prepare his supper, and struck her several times with his fist.

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## Woman Climbs Fence

After regaining consciousness the woman, who had been unconscious, and climbing over the back fence, made her way to her friend's home.

Constable Tom Carroll and Deputy Constable J. E. Cooke were notified by Mrs. Beals, who was lying face down on the ground, that her husband had been in the house and that she was in the back yard. The couple were living together, Cooke asked his wife to receive into their home and entertain a woman of notoriously bad character.

## Says He's Innocent Before Being Hung

**HELENA, Mont., April 2.**—A special to the Record from Kalispell, says that Fredrick Loh, convicted of the murder of R. V. Jackson, was hanged today. Just prior to the execution Loh became very ill and almost broke down. He explained his nerves, however, and walked to the scaffold. He made a statement just before the trap fell, to the effect that he is innocent.

Hanged April 2—Vernon Hayes, accused in the murder of Edward John Robinson, at the State prison March 8, 1908, was executed at Deer Lodge today. Hayes' neck was not broken by the fall, and he hung for eight minutes, slowly straining to a death in the presence of a large crowd of invited guests.

## Bishop Tells of 2 Priests' Blackmail

**ST. JOSEPH, April 2.**—Bishop Maurice F. Burke of the St. Joseph diocese of the Roman Catholic Church was the first witness to the criminal court today in the trial of Daniel Pembroke, a priest formerly stationed at Maryville, Mo., who is charged with having attempted to blackmail the bishop. Bishop Burke told of having received threatening letters from Pembroke in which the priest said that if \$5000 was not forthcoming from the bishop he would publish stories derogatory to the bishop's character.

Pembroke was removed from the Maryville parish two years ago upon complaint of the parishioners. He alleges that the bishop appropriated a farm owned by him.

## PERCY COOKE IS SUED FOR DIVORCE

Well-Known Clubman Is Accused of Extreme Cruelty by Wife

SPENT SMALL FORTUNE ON DRINK IS ALLEGED

Alimony Is Asked by Plaintiff in the Sum of \$75 Per Month

Percy J. Cooke, one of the wealthiest and best known capitalists of the bay region, owner and manager of the Colusa water works, clubman and enthusiastic automobilist, and a prominent factor for years in the growth of the town in which he lives and the development of Alameda county, was sued for a divorce by his wife, Bernice Cooke, in the Superior Court this morning.

It has been known for some time in the immediate circles in which the Cookes move, that their marital relations were strained, but the proceedings begun today came like a thunderclap out of a clear sky, because it was not deemed that the troubles would ever take the extreme course they have just entered upon.

## Cruelty Is Charged

Extreme cruelty is the ground upon which Mrs. Cooke bases her action for divorce. The complaint recites that the couple were married in Oakland on July 24, 1907, and that there are no children. In accusing Cooke of being guilty of extreme cruelty towards his wife and wantonly inflicting upon her grievous bodily injury and mental suffering, plaintiff makes allegations in substance as follows:

During the latter part of September or the early part of October, 1907, at the home of the couple in Colusa, Cooke flew into a terrible rage against his wife without any provocation, struck her and knocked her down twice, and otherwise maltreated her by calling her vile names. It is also set forth in this connection that at many other times during their married life defendant called his wife vile and profane names and frequently told her to go to the devil, sometimes cursing her in the presence of other people.

## Women in Case

Mrs. Cooke also charges her husband with frequently visiting houses of half-witted and consenting with and keeping company with women of disreputable character, and that on one occasion he took her to a saloon where he was drinking and gambling, and that at no time during his marriage was he sufficiently sober to give his business the attention it required.

## Asks \$75 Per Month

Wherefore, in addition to a divorce, plaintiff asks the court to pay her alimony during the term of her life as her husband is unable to support her. The amount in life demands and fixes the amount at \$75 a month. She also represents that Cooke recently fell heir to \$8000 and petitions the court to take this fact into consideration in the legal disposition of the community property.

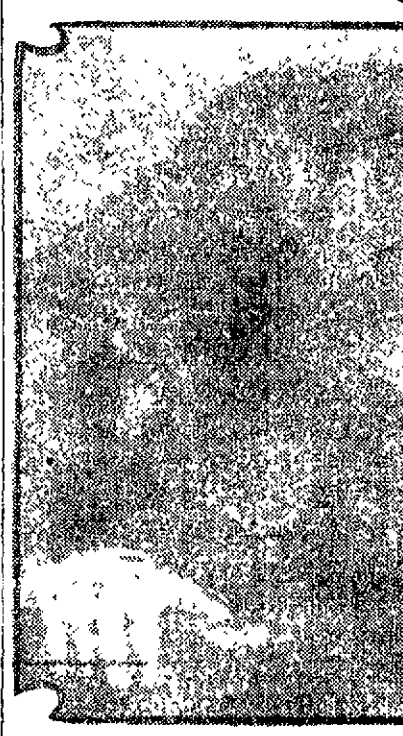
Mrs. Cooke all-goes in this connection that her husband inherited the \$8000 from his parents and went off on a big spree, when the glad news windfall came. Cooke is the owner of two fine autos and spends a great deal of his time on the highways in this section of the county. She has separated from her husband, Mrs. Cooke has resided most of the time in San Francisco, where she and her mother, Mrs. Baker, run the Elizabeth Apartments.

## Hall Re-Appointed By Governor Gillett

**SACRAMENTO, April 2.**—Frank W. Hall of Oakland was reappointed today by Governor Gillett, a member of the board of trustees of the State Normal school at San Jose.

## John L. Howard Jr., Son of Oakland Millionaire, Who Has Disappeared

No ray of light has penetrated the veil of mystery which envelops the disappearance of John L. Howard Jr., son and namesake of the millionaire president of the Western Fuel Company, and local manager of the company. Howard has apparently dropped from sight as completely as though he had never existed, and his distracted wife has succumbed to the awful fear which his loss has aroused.



## NAKED MADMAN NO CONTEST IN ESTATE OF BALDWIN

Knocks His Victim Down and Then Tears Insanely at His Throat

MAKES HIS ESCAPE THROUGH CEMETERY

Hides Among Tombstones While San Francisco Lays Trap For Him

**SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.**—Slack, stupid mad, wild and raving, and a menace to lives of residents in the Sunset district, a maniac is roaming through the Calvary cemetery, his hands already blood-stained, though an assault he committed late last evening upon Francis Rodgers of 15 South Collin street.

Rodgers was on his way to his home shortly before midnight, and reached his home at 10 o'clock, when suddenly a wild, hairy creature dashed across the street from a gap in the fence of the Calvary cemetery, and before he could protect himself, and knocked Rodgers to the street, stamped the madman then proceeded to choke him, dragging him from the street, and then letting him drop again.

## Hides in Cemetery

In the end, thinking his victim dead, the madman sprang upon the unfortunate victim and tried to strangle him. At length, with a wild blood-curdling shriek of joy at the crime he had committed, the animal sprang away and disappeared again within the confines of the cemetery.

The last Rodgers saw of his assailant as he raised himself on his arm and stared after the fleeing figure. It was jumping over tombstones, and finally was swallowed up amongst the trees and shrubbery.

Painfully he staggered to his feet and made his way to the Park police station. There, Rodgers, before he swooned, managed to explain his condition to the station authorities.

Immediately Officers Stillard and Johnson were detailed to the cemetery to pursue the maniac. All night they searched until late in the morning, but no arrest was made. Tonight a detail of policemen will guard the cemetery and try in wedges for the madman.

Rodgers claims that the thing which assaulted him was half-naked, and had long arms, thin legs, and a face covered with hair.

## Amount Not Known

The more fact of the man making a contest would in a way be a heavy penalty. It is said that the amount the heirs have paid her is about what she at first demanded from the estate, which was never made public, but which is said to be in the neighborhood of \$100,000. Details are denied by all concerned.

## Widow of Dead Magnate Compromised Claim With Heirs Today

Details of Amount Is Not Yet Made Known



## Wife Is Prostrated

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Howard returned ten days ago from three weeks' trip to Victoria, B. C., where he had gone to recuperate from an attack of nervous prostration resulting from overwork. He seemed much benefited by his trip, but last Wednesday he complained of a return of his former symptoms, and at luncheon he told his wife that he was suffering from severe pains in the head. Soon after this he left his home, at 585 Jean street, and returned to the company's office in Eleventh street, Oakland, where he continued to complain of feeling ill.

"You're probably out neurasthenia," said the firm said to him.

"It's much worse than that," answered Howard, who put on his overcoat hurriedly, jumped into his waiting runabout and drove away.

## Seen by Detective

This was about 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. An hour later Detective McKelvey of Oakland noticed Howard go down Broadway with his head bowed and showing signs of distraction. Howard's automobile was seen standing at Fourth and Washington streets, about eight blocks from the office of the company some time earlier in the afternoon. Howard is 28 years old. He is six feet two inches tall, weighs about 175 pounds, has gray-blue eyes and brown hair a moustache. He wore a striped gray and black overcoat and dark green socks that when he disappeared.

## J. L. HOWARD JR. MISSING; WIFE PROSTRATED

Many Automobiles Are Sent in Search of Him About Bay

MIND UNBALANCED BY ILLNESS IS BELIEVED

Empty Auto Used by Him Found Abandoned at Fourth and Washington

Scores of automobiles are scouring the vicinity of San Francisco and Oakland bearing volunteers who are searching for missing John L. Howard Jr., general manager for the Western Fuel Company, of which his father is president.

That Howard wandered away in a spell induced by overwork and dropped out of sight seem to be the general conclusion of friends interested in the case. He had just returned from a trip to Vancouver, B. C., where he had gone to seek rest, but, plunging again into the details of his work his headaches returned, and he complained to his wife about acute pains.

Inquiry Friday revealed that some years ago Howard sustained a severe blow on the head. Three years ago he was a patient at the St. Helena Sanitarium at Napa for stomach trouble.

The last man to see Howard was John Duffey, a section boss for the Southern Pacific. Howard seemed then to be waiting for the San Jose local at First and Washington streets on March 31.

## Shrouded in Mystery

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## McCLYMONDS IS CONTINUED IN OFFICE

Unanimously Elected Again as the City Superintendent of Schools

AFTER A NEW COMMERCIAL AND MANUAL HIGH

Hannaford Made President of Board of Education and Committees Appointed

On the recommendation of Superintendent of Schools J. V. McClymonds, a committee was appointed at the first meeting of the new Board of Education last night to consult with the City Council relative to including in the next bond issue money for the erection of a new Commercial and Manual High School in this city. Funds will also be asked for improvements in the Oakland High School and additional gymnasiums and high school facilities.

McClymonds set forth in an able talk before the new board, after his reappointment by unanimous vote to the office of Superintendent of Schools, a post he has filled to the satisfaction of the entire community for many years that a growing city of 150,000 inhabitants such as Oakland has in extreme need of an up-to-date institution of commercial and manual training to be conducted in conjunction with the public school work of the city under the direction and guidance of the Board of Education.

The matter will be taken up before the Council at an early date and a favorable action by that body is anticipated.

It will be necessary to select and purchase a central site for the new school, and this, with an estimate of the probable cost of the ground and the erection of a suitable building will occupy the board during the next few months.

### Hannaford Elected

Director A. L. Hannaford was unanimously elected president last night, and by the uniform support of the body a resolution raising the salary of the Superintendent of Schools to \$4,000 was passed.

The matter of changing the summer vacation period in the schools to correspond with that of San Francisco, Alabama and Berkeley was taken up and has been referred to the committee on rules and regulations for consideration and report.

At the conclusion of McClymonds' reappointment a committee of three, composed of S. C. Simpson, Thomas Benda and Charles Overy, representing the evening schools, presented to Superintendent McClymonds a handsome silver emblem set in recognition of his work on behalf of the evening schools. McClymonds was also re-elected secretary of the board.

### New Committees

The standing committees named last night are as follows:

Classification—Crandall, Emerson and Kelly.

Evening schools—O'Connor, Wentworth and Cook.

Finance—Orr, Well and Emerson.

Furniture and supplies—Cook, Crandall and Evans.

High schools—Killy, Wood and Well.

Manual training—Wood, O'Connor and Wentworth.

Judiciary—Well, Evans and Crandall.

Observatory—Emerson, Kelly and Orr.

Recreation—Wentworth, Wentworth, Cook and O'Connor.

School houses and sites—Evans, Orr and Wood.

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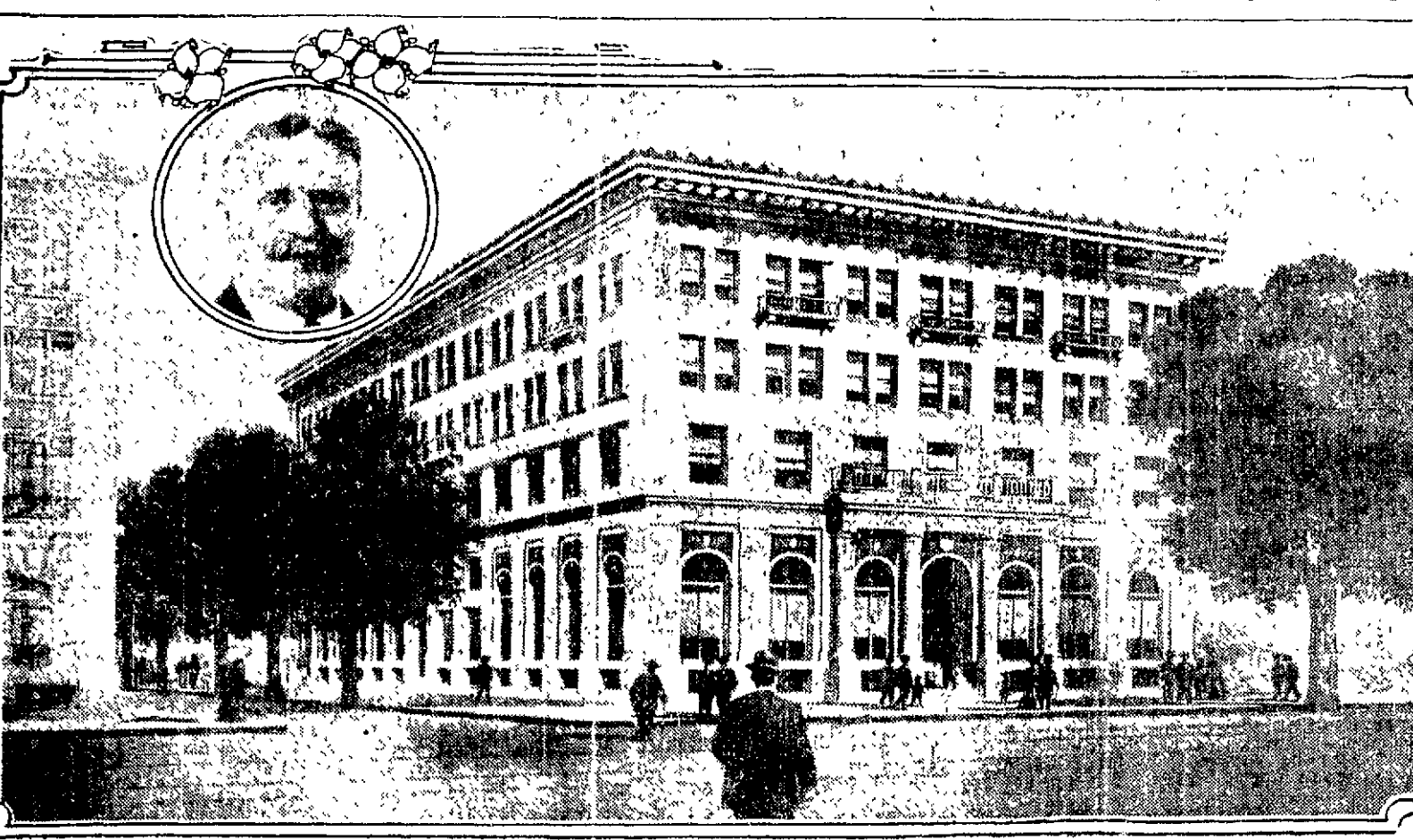
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New two-story house; eight rooms; up to date; Myrtle St., near 16th. Apply to FRED A. MERRITT, 412 17th Street, Oakland.

## Y. M. C. A. WORKERS CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS



Here is the new Young Men's Christian Association building, which is to be erected at Twenty-first street and Telegraph avenue at a cost of \$250,000, and also a picture of D. E. Luther of the Los Angeles Y. M. C. A., who will speak at the banquet Monday night. The plans are completed and call for a building with a sub-basement, basement and four stories, all devoted to the purposes of the Y. M. C. A.

The arrangements provide special accommodations for business men as well as for the thousands of young men who will join the membership. The plans were prepared only after a thorough study of the best Y. M. C. A. buildings and young men's club buildings in the world.

Next Monday evening the campaign to raise the \$210,000 needed to complete the plans will be formally launched at two banquets. One is to be given at the Home Club and will be largely attended by the commercial and professional men of the community. The other is to be given at the Mabel Hall and is designed largely for the younger men of Oakland. Special guests and prominent speakers have been invited to both banquets, and acceptance of invitations should be made at once to the respective chairmen at the Y. M. C. A. headquarters in the First National Bank building.

## CAMPAIGN STARTS OFF WITH A RUSH

Needed \$210,000 for Erection of Building Will Be Secured in 10 Days

The same spirit which is being shown in regard to Chamber of Commerce work in being given the active campaign to establish a magnificent Y. M. C. A. building in this city.

The committees are holding daily meetings and every cog in the machinery is well oiled for the effort which is to be opened April 6 and to continue to April 16th.

F. M. Smith is one of the most enthusiastic workers in the movement and he has taken a prominent part in giving a great big boost to the subscription list. Wallace M. Alexander, the president of the Y. M. C. A., is doing much active work and is very confident that the entire \$210,000 will be raised during the ten days' campaign.

The various committees having in charge the two banquets to be held next Monday night are very much gratified at the responses to the invitations. The advisory committee, consisting of A. J. Bredt, H. C. Garwell, E. M. Smith, J. H. E. J. Brown, J. L. Howard, Miles Standish, W. L. Vetch, at its meeting last night, showed that everything is going along with every evidence of success.

### Sure of Success

"I expect to see the entire amount subscribed within the ten days," said Judge Everett J. Brown last night. "Since entering on my duties as a member of the advisory committee I have studied very carefully the question of Young Men's Christian Association in cities about the size of Oakland, and I find that this is the only city in the United States with a population of more than 100,000 that does not own a Y. M. C. A. building. Los Angeles, for example, has a population of 1,000,000 and has a Y. M. C. A. building which cost \$250,000. Seattle has recently opened a Y. M. C. A. building which cost \$225,000.

"The magnificent building planned for Oakland is estimated to cost \$250,000. We already own a lot valued at \$70,000 at Twenty-first and Telegraph, and our big equity amounting to certainly not less than \$65,000 in the lot at Fourteenth and Jefferson streets will go toward the new building fund. The entire amount to be raised during the ten days' campaign is \$210,000 and we are going to raise it."

### Great in Fact

"Raise the money," said H. C. Garwell, "of course we are going to raise the money. The same spirit that is building up the Chamber of Commerce is going to build up the Y. M. C. A. and I am confident that we will have a magnificent building in this city during the past few months and I am confident that everything is here to make Oakland not only great in fact but great in fact. All we want to do is to keep on working along the lines we have started out, and the Young Men's Christian Association will be built so quickly that we shall surprise ourselves.

"As the need of a Y. M. C. A. building it is unnecessary to say a single word. It is as necessary as our church system or our school system—indeed, it is a part of both as well as a factor in our commercial and social and moral growth. But we all know that and we are going to have it—that's all."

State Secretary B. B. Wilcox, who is the active manager of the campaign, desires all those who intend to attend

## EXHAUSTED MOST OF SIXTIETH PANEL IN THE FIRST HALF HOUR

More Than 2000 Citizens Have Already Been Summoned in Calhoun Case—Seven Talesmen Knocked Out in Twenty Minutes.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—For the thirtieth time since proceedings commenced in the Calhoun trial on January 12, Superior Judge Lawlor undertook the laborious task of interrogating a witness summoned in an endeavor to complete the jury this morning. There have been sixty days of court session, and 2070 citizens have been examined since the case was first called.

The ratio of sworn jurors has jumped to a percentage of one to every two hundred brought into court. Only seven talesmen were retained to have their ideas and opinions weighed by counsel, and when the regular proceedings started at 11:10 A. M. Attorney Earl Rogers began the inquiry of the part of the case.

Walter R. Huff, of George T. Ide & Company, was first taken in hand. He entertained no prejudices against the defendant, but was positive that his inclinations were such as to prevent his being an acceptable juror. He was released, together with Robert P. Keating, who is not on the assessment roll.

### Rapid Work

When because of the heat of the day, which made the air in the court room even more warm and stuffy than usual, he would not give Calhoun any more of the hearing and the defendant's attorney, going at once to the point of the ever-present opinion, in each instance broke the record for speedy interrogation. Seven talesmen were called, sworn and dismissed in the short space of twenty minutes and the verio was becoming rapidly depleted.

George J. Kahn, the opinion, had a finely grained opinion, and was discharged, as was also Charles C. Higgins, superintendent of the Alameda Car Company, whose feelings ran in the same course.

Edward R. Jones, retired, who was then queried, owned stocks and bonds in the United Railroads and declared that he would not give Calhoun any more of the hearing. The defense consented to his being allowed to go, after which William H. Hocking of the Huntington Wagon Company was called. He said he was president, secretary, manager and director of the concern and agreed with Rogers when he referred to him as "the whole wagon shop."

He had a formidable opinion and was executed together with Henry Kessler, a machinist manufacturer, who, although he held that he could give Calhoun a square deal, believed Calhoun guilty.

**Defective Hearing**

Charles W. Hanson, a builder, was then questioned by Attorney Stanley Moore. He was without prejudices or leanings one way or the other, had expressed no opinion as to the guilt or innocence of Calhoun. He at first seemed likely to qualify, but it developed that his hearing was defective and that he did not catch all of the queries propounded by counsel. The court released him on that ground.

On the other hand, Hanson was presented in the afternoon and he at first seemed likely to qualify, but it developed that his hearing was defective and that he did not catch all of the queries propounded by counsel. The court released him on that ground.

**Works for Spreckels**

Charles J. Korn, a contractor and builder, was then called. He had been diligent in exacting jury duty in his family, both he and his brother having been subpoenaed to be present this morning. Judge Lawlor had released one of them to attend to the business, keeping the other to be maintained by the attorneys. The talesman had an impressive opinion, but if he could not that also he maintained that he would not be acceptable as he was now engaged in doing work for Rudolph Spreckels. O'Garra did not deny the challenge imposed by the defense.

Howard C. Kellum of 2614 Nineteenth street, the last citizen in attendance, asked to be discharged because of sickness and he was released, as was also Patrick Kelly of 2512 Bush street, whose name did not appear on the assessment roll.

**Case Goes Over**

Judge Lawlor then announced to counsel that owing to the clarity in the eyes of the jurors sworn to try the case some difficulty had been found in providing them with agreeable forms of amusement attending them to be separated into two sections. Both sides consented. Attorney Rogers adding in behalf of the defense that anything that Judge Lawlor might do in that regard would be entirely satisfactory.

Prosecutor Hickey did not appear at all during the morning session and the panel, having been exhausted, an adjournment was taken until 11 o'clock on Monday morning, the thirty-first panel of sixty citizens to be personally interrogated during the first two hours on that day.

## MOTT TO ASK FOR QUICK ACTION

Message to City Council Will Request Hurried Passage of Bond Issue

In his message to the new City Council, which will be delivered to that body when it meets next Monday night, Mayor Mott will make a strong play for the quickest kind of action on the \$5,000,000 bond issue.

Many important things surround the big bond issue. There depends not only the election of a city hall that will be consistent with the character of the municipality, but the schools and roads will be improved and principally the development of the city's water front.

### Of Vital Interest

If the bond is put through with reasonable dispatch, it is generally conceded that within a year this city will be in a position to make a strong bid for downtown traffic, which will result in opening up manifold commercial possibilities. This issue is one of the biggest things starting the city in the face at present, it is a highly interesting matter, and many things of paramount importance hinge upon it.

In another respect, the bond provides for the city park system, which will be a general step in the direction of making Oakland one of the cities of the future of "the city of the future."

"My report," said the mayor, "will be brief and to the point. I will urge strongly for the quick passage of the bond issue. We hope to accomplish considerable things during this administration and my message will deal strongly with the larger of the matters to be considered."

## MOTOR STOLEN, IS LEFT ON BOULEVARD

E. A. Parker, of 1031 Woolsey street, reported to the police late yesterday afternoon, that his Ford motor car was stolen from in front of a five cent dance house on Twelfth street. The car was later found by Detective Kyle on the corner of Twelfth and Broadway.

Jim Chew reported to the police that last night a burglar entered his room by removing a screen from the window, and stole a Colt's revolver and \$40 in coin.

J. E. Buckley, of 842 Thirtieth street, reports the theft of a bicycle from the apartment of his home.

D. Clancy, of 61 Alameda street, aged 30 years, is reported missing from his home.

## CREDITORS WILL TAKE ACTION IN COURTS

Calkins Syndicate Affairs Will Be Thoroughly Investigated

TOTAL DEBTS REACH THE SUM OF \$343,000

Heaviest Creditor of the Defunct Concern Is Union Trust Company

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—The creditors of the Calkins Syndicate will hold a meeting today for the purpose of formulating plans for a suit against the syndicate, in which they will expose the system of high finance alleged to have been used by the concern.

The creditors and stockholders, who will go to New York against the syndicate, charge that William P. Calkins and his associates in the corporation induced them to invest by false representations both as to the value and earnings of the Calkins enterprise.

**PRINCIPAL CREDITORS OF THE CALKINS SYNDICATE**

Union Trust Company	\$1,000,000
First National Bank	1,000,000
Bank of California	1,000,000
Local supply houses	1,000,000
Total	\$3,000,000

### To Probe Charges

The lawyers who have been consulted by the creditors of the Calkins Syndicate are of the opinion that the syndicate is a defunct concern, and if the evidence warrants, complaints are to be sworn to. One of the creditors of the company is the amount of \$10,000. It having lowered the syndicate an overdraft of \$30,000, but was in for only half that sum when the credit of the concern was supposed. The highest credit in the Union Trust Company, which holds a Calkins paper to the amount of \$30,000, secured in one way or another, and which to which \$35,000 minor debts are secured.

## Debts Reach \$343,000

The entire debts of the Calkins Syndicate will reach \$343,000. Of these \$250,000 are secured and the balance, \$113,000, are practically worthless. To pay the unsecured indebtedness of \$113,000 the syndicate has as its assets \$15,000.

To the commercial rating companies the Calkins syndicate represented itself to be worth some \$700,000 or \$800,000. In reality it was not worth half that sum and it was on the strength of this rating that it was able to get an extended credit. Now that the crash has come the men holding the syndicate notes have discovered a deception. Calkins has already made one proposition, which has been rejected. He will be put upon the carpet today.

## TRIES TO KILL SELF IN CELL

Captured Escaped Convict Seeks to Commit Suicide in Prison

(Continued From Page 1.)

prisoner had suffered much from loss of blood and in very weak condition. The partner in the "blame" attempt to kill himself, appeared very ill. He uttered a few incoherent remarks and then relapsed into a morose silence.

Both prisoners are in separate cells and are kept away from others in the future, however, they will be carefully guarded to prevent a second attempt to kill themselves.

Warden Riley, of the State Penitentiary at Folsom has arrived here and will take the escaped convicts back to prison.

## ASKS \$20,000 DAMAGES FROM TRACTION COMPANY

Leon P. Jackson of the real estate firm of Jackson & Co., has filed a suit in Superior Court this afternoon against the Oakland Traction Company for \$20,000 damages for alleged personal injuries. Jackson claims that on March 10, 1908, he was thrown from his automobile near Twelfth street and threw him out through the windshield, causing him many serious injuries.

**SADDLE ROCK CAFE.**

Have you tried our 40c lunch? If not, it's time.

## ROOSEVELT IS TENDERED A RECEPTION

Passengers on Steamer Present Former President With an Illuminated Address

MAY VISIT MESSINA WITH KING OF ITALY

Exchange of Greetings Takes Place on Arrival of Liner at Gibraltar

GIBRALTAR, April 2.—The steamer Hamburg, with Theodore Roosevelt and the members of his party on board, came into Gibraltar a few minutes before 3 o'clock this morning. After a stay of a little more than three hours, the Hamburg sailed for Naples.

Richard T. Sprague, the American consul and an aide to camp of General Sir Robert B. Forester-Walker, governor of Gibraltar, went out to the Hamburg to welcome the former President of the United States. After an exchange of greetings, Roosevelt, wearing a frock coat and bow tie, came down the side of the ship and stepped into a launch sent out by the captain of the port and was brought ashore. The party proceeded at once to the residence of Mr. Sprague. At 10:30 Mr. Roosevelt called upon General Forester-Walker.

The general had invited Mr. Roosevelt to luncheon, as had also Mr. Sprague, but Mr. Roosevelt was not able to accept either of the invitations on account of the short stay here of the Hamburg.

## Declines Interview

Roosevelt declined every request for an interview. The weather is bright and warm and Mr. Roosevelt appeared to be in the best of health and spirits. Upon leaving the Hamburg he shook hands with a number of the passengers, who cheered him enthusiastically.

It is said today that the Roosevelt party does not intend to go ashore at Naples, that the members will merely transfer themselves and their belongings from the Hamburg to the steamer Admira. In this event, Mr. Roosevelt will not be able to see the Duchess of Aosta at the Italian port.

Roosevelt visited the second class and stateroom quarters of the Hamburg yesterday and was given an enthusiastic reception. He was accompanied by the Italian port commissioner on board the vessel.

An illuminated address prepared by the passengers was presented to Mr. Roosevelt.

## Dance Is Given

Later, the party retired to the main saloon, where fees were served by the ship's stewards, dressed up as Neptunes and other fantastic characters. All the lights had been turned low and the effect was weird. This entertainment was followed by a dance, at which Mr. Roosevelt danced with Mrs. Richard Draper. He withdrew from the dancing and Mr. Roosevelt appeared in the smoking room and chatted with the passengers for twenty minutes.

## May Visit Messina

ROME, April 2.—The report that King Victor Emmanuel desires to meet Theodore Roosevelt and have him visit the castle of St. Angelo, to see the results of the work done by Americans with the money given through American sources is confirmed in court circles today. His Majesty would like to take Mr. Roosevelt to St. Angelo and the castle of St. Angelo. Nothing can be definitely settled, however, until Mr. Roosevelt is communicated with. The telegram sent to Mr. Roosevelt at Gibraltar proposing the Messina visit has not yet been answered.

It is said in court circles that King Victor Emmanuel will leave Rome Sunday night and reach Naples Monday morning. Should he accept the suggestion of going down to Messina on board the Re Umberto, he will leave Naples Monday to arrive at Messina early on Tuesday. The steamer Admiral, on which Mr. Roosevelt is to travel, leaves Messina on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Tuesday night and Mr. Roosevelt will be transferred from the battleship to the liner.

## LOSES BALANCE, FALLS DOWN STEAMER HOLD

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—J. Ranner of 2309 Octavia street, a stevedore, was badly hurt shortly before noon today by falling into the hold of the steamer Tacoma, lying at Star Line wharf. He was treated at the harbor hospital by Dr. Zumwalt for a broken arm and possible internal injuries.

## THREE ARRESTED AS AUTO THIEF SUSPECTS

The police this morning arrested three men who are suspected of having stolen a Buick automobile from the garage of E. A. Baker of 1224 Woolsey street, which was taken from in front of a dance hall on Twelfth street yesterday.

# Leland's

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NOT GOOD AFTER APRIL 9.



# L. A. Stevenson, Formerly Employed by Union National Bank, Declines to Answer Pertinent Questions

## Bank Said to Be Under Cover--Witness on the Stand Is Advised by Attorney for Union National Not to Answer M. C. Chapman's Questions

Harold D. Stevenson, whose deposition was taken yesterday at the office of M. C. Chapman, attorney for the Burrell Construction Company, refused under the advice of the attorney for the Union National Bank to give any testimony that would throw any light upon the transactions of the bank since it came under the control of the present management. Evidently the bank officials fear the disclosures that might be made if Stevenson should truthfully answer the questions put to him.

It has been claimed by Robert M. Fitzgerald, attorney for the bank, that he was willing that the bank officers should testify fully and freely; that he had nothing to hide. It must be remembered, however, that Stevenson, while in the employ of the bank, was not an officer and hence Mr. Fitzgerald's alleged liberality did not apply to Stevenson.

The deposition of James L. DeFreemery was to be taken the other day, but, strange enough, before that could be done Mr. DeFreemery severed his connection with the bank, probably for the reason that he did not care to make any disclosures respecting the business transactions of those now in control of the bank. It will probably be claimed by the bank that he is no longer an officer of the bank and upon taking his deposition he will be directed not to answer pertinent and relevant questions which, if truthfully answered, might discredit the present management of the bank. It has been said that Mr. DeFreemery is about to leave the State and it has been suggested that his departure will probably be hastened to avoid giving his deposition in the Burrell case.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

Alfred W. Burrell and Burrell Construction Co., a corporation, plaintiffs, vs. the Union National Bank of Oakland, and Chas. F. Haney, defendants. Deposition of L. A. Stevenson--2888.

Oakland, Cal., April 1, 1909.

### APPEARANCES.

For the plaintiffs: M. C. Chapman, Esq.

For the defendants: R. M. Fitzgerald, Esq.

Be it remembered: That pursuant to the notice and affidavit heretofore annexed and made a part hereof, and on Thursday, the day to wit, the first day of April, 1909, the day to which the taking of the deposition had been continued by stipulation, and commencing at the hour of eleven o'clock a. m. of said day at Room No. 611 of Oakland Bank of Savings Bldg., in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, before me, Eugene E. Trefethen, a Notary Public in and for said county of Alameda, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared L. A. Stevenson, Esq., a witness produced on behalf of the plaintiffs in the above entitled action now pending in said Superior Court of said county of Alameda.

It was then and there stipulated and agreed by and between counsel for plaintiff and counsel for defendants that W. H. Girvin is a disinterested party, and is a competent shorthand reporter, and the said W. H. Girvin was thereupon by me appointed to take said deposition in shorthand and thereafter to transcribe the same into long hand; said witness being interrogated by M. C. Chapman, Esq., counsel for plaintiffs.

### Notices Correct

The Notary Public: Mr. Chapman, I have here the notice and affidavit upon the taking of the deposition of Mr. Stevenson, the witness now present, and also the subpoena issued by the clerk directing Mr. Stevenson to be here for the purpose of having his deposition taken, together with the affidavit of J. J. Manning, showing the service of said subpoena upon said witness on the 15th day of January last. The order directing the clerk to issue the subpoena is on file, and the time of the taking of the deposition has been continued by stipulation until this time.

Mr. Chapman: All of the papers except the order on file are offered in evidence.

Mr. Fitzgerald: I make no objection as to the time of taking the deposition. My objection is that under the notice and order directing the Notary to be without jurisdiction to take the deposition, and that the affidavit is insufficient to base an order to direct the issuance of the subpoena. The Notary Public: I presume they may be read into the record.

Mr. Chapman: Yes.

### The Record

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

Alfred W. Burrell and Burrell Construction Co., a corporation, plaintiffs, vs. the Union National Bank of Oakland, and Chas. F. Haney, defendants. Notice of taking deposition.

To the defendant, the Union National Bank of Oakland.

You will please take notice that the deposition of L. A. Stevenson to be used on the trial of the above entitled action will be taken before Eugene E. Trefethen, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, at the office of M. C. Chapman, Esq., in the Oakland Bank of Savings Building, Room 611 of said building, in the city of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Friday, the 22d day of January, 1909, between the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. and 5 o'clock p. m., and if not completed on that day the taking thereof will be continued from day to day successively thereafter and over Sundays at the same place until completed.

You are further notified that the annexed is a copy of an affidavit showing that the case is one mentioned in

Section 2021 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California.

(Signed) HILL & RYKIE.

M. C. CHAPMAN.

Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

State of California ) ss.

County of Alameda )

J. J. Manning, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is and was at the time of the service of the papers herein referred to, a citizen of the United States, over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to the within entitled action; that he personally served the within notice and affidavit on taking of a deposition on the 15th day of January, 1909, on the Union National Bank of Oakland, one of the defendants therein named, by personally delivering to George Roeth as President of said defendant corporation, personally in the County of Alameda, a copy of said notice and affidavit on taking of deposition.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of January, 1909.

(Signed) J. J. MANNING.

EUGENE E. TREFETHEN,

Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

(Seal)

The Deposition

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

Alfred W. Burrell and Burrell Construction Co., a corporation, plaintiffs, vs. the Union National Bank of Oakland, and Chas. F. Haney, defendants. Affidavit.

State of California ) ss.

County of Alameda )

M. C. Chapman, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is one of the attorneys for the plaintiffs in the above entitled action.

That L. A. Stevenson, whose deposition it is proposed to take under the annexed notice, is the only person by whom plaintiffs can establish certain facts material to the issue in said action, and that said L. A. Stevenson is a necessary witness whose deposition is desired on part of plaintiffs to be used in the trial of the above entitled action.

That the complaint has been filed in said action and summons issued thereon, and that defendant, the Union National Bank of Oakland, has been served therewith.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of January, 1909.

(Signed) M. C. CHAPMAN.

EUGENE E. TREFETHEN,

Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

(Seal)

Command to Appear

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

Alfred W. Burrell and Burrell Construction Co., a corporation, plaintiffs, vs. the Union National Bank of Oakland, and Chas. F. Haney, defendants. Subpoena.

The people of the State of California and greeting to L. A. Stevenson.

We command you, all and singular business and excuses being laid aside, to appear and attend before Eugene E. Trefethen, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, at the office of M. C. Chapman, Esq., in the Oakland Bank of Savings Building in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Friday, the 22d day of January, 1909, at the hour of three o'clock p. m., of said day, for the purpose of then and there testifying and giving your deposition as a witness in the above entitled action on the part of the plaintiffs.

And for a failure to so attend you will be deemed guilty of contempt of court, and liable to pay all losses and damages sustained thereby to the parties aggrieved, and forfeit one hundred dollars in addition thereto.

By order of the Superior Court this 15th day of January, 1909.

Attest my hand and the seal of said Court the day and year last above written.

(Signed) JOHN P. COOK,

Clerk.

By W. W. MANNING,

Deputy Clerk.

### Served Subpoena

State of California ) ss.

County of Alameda )

J. J. Manning, of said Alameda County, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he served the within subpoena by showing the said original to L. A. Stevenson, and delivering a true copy thereof to said L. A. Stevenson personally, on the 15th day of January, 1909, at and in the said County of Alameda, and that said L. A. Stevenson demanded and received his fees, to wit \$3.15.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of January, 1909.

(Signed) J. J. MANNING.

EUGENE E. TREFETHEN,

Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

(Seal)

Mr. Stevenson, the witness, is sworn by the Notary Public.

Mr. Chapman: Q--Mr. Stevenson, what is your business?

A--Why, I am in the insurance business, a little.

Q--Were you ever in the employ of the Union National Bank of Oakland?

A--Yes, sir.

Q--Covering what period of time?

A--I think I went in there the latter part of January, 1908, or 1909.

Mr. Chapman: Q--This is 1909.

Mr. Fitzgerald: Just be 1908.

A--Yes.

Mr. Chapman: Q--Later part of January, 1908, and continued in the employ of that bank for what length of time?

A--Until some time in June.

Q--Of the same year?

A--Of the same year, yes.

Q--And in what capacity?

A--I was taking care of the real estate for the bank.

Q--And just what were your duties in that regard?

A--Well, trying to sell the property and looking it up, and seeing what we had on hand.

Q--Did you have any particular designation--land agent, or what were you called, if you were called anything?

A--I had no title at all.

Q--Didn't get any name?

A--No, I wasn't called anything.

Q--Had you any other employment while you were there, other than to look out for the real estate?

A--Yes, I was out with a petition for some of the stockholders to sign, and then I was also getting signatures for the new subscription of the stock, that they were trying to double at that time.

Q--What was this petition for stockholders to sign?

Mr. Fitzgerald: Object to that as incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial; has no bearing on the case whatever, nothing to do with it. I shall ask the witness not to answer, unless you shall state what you propose to prove.

Mr. Chapman: I don't know what sort of a petition it is.

Mr. Fitzgerald: Unless you have some evidence, what it is, we will go to the Superior Court on it. Now you have got somebody else besides officers of the bank.

Mr. Chapman: Q--Mr. Stevenson, was this instrument that you called a petition--this instrument that you called a petition--did that relate to stock subscription, or to the real estate?

A--No.

Q--What did it relate to?

Mr. Fitzgerald: Objected to as irrelevant, incompetent and immaterial; counsel giving no intimation of what he intends to prove by the witness.

Mr. Chapman: Q--I will ask you, Mr. Stevenson, if you are represented by counsel here this morning? Have you an attorney here?

Mr. Fitzgerald: Objected to as irrelevant, incompetent and immaterial; I am representing the Union National Bank in the suit of Burrell vs. Union National Bank.

Mr. Chapman: I do not understand that you are representing Mr. Stevenson.

Mr. Fitzgerald: I am representing the defendant.

Mr. Chapman: I don't know that Mr. Stevenson is obliged to take orders from either one of us.

Mr. Fitzgerald: I haven't given him any orders, no more than you have.

Mr. Chapman: Q--Will you answer the question, Mr. Stevenson?

Mr. Fitzgerald: I ask the witness not to answer the question as not material, nor having anything to do with the case, and it is purely and simply a fishing excursion.

Mr. Chapman: I will ask that the witness do answer the question.

Refuses to Answer

Mr. Fitzgerald: As far as my authority goes, I will ask him to answer the question, and not get into contempt of court.

Mr. Fitzgerald: Is has nothing whatever to do with the suit of Burrell for damages against the Union National Bank.

Mr. Chapman: Well, we will see.

The Notary Public: Mr. Witness, you are instructed to answer the question.

Mr. Fitzgerald: I insist on my instruction to him that he do not answer it. Let the matter be determined by the Superior Court Judge, whether it is a proper question or not.

A--I presume I will have to take the advice of Mr. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Fitzgerald: Without any desire to be discourteous to the Court or anything.

A--That is understood, I did not mention that.

Mr. Chapman: Q--Have you retained Mr. Fitzgerald to represent you in these proceedings?

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to that as incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial. I ask him not to answer that.

Mr. Chapman: I haven't finished--that you should take his advice?

Mr. Fitzgerald: It is immaterial. (Reporter reads the last question.)

Mr. Fitzgerald: Objected to as incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial; having nothing whatever to do with the claim of Burrell for damages.

Mr. Chapman: Direct the witness to answer, Mr. Notary.

The Notary Public: Answer the question, Mr. Witness.

Mr. Fitzgerald: Direct him not to answer.

A--Again I take the advice of Mr. Fitzgerald--not desiring to be discourteous to the Court.

Mr. Chapman: You decline to answer upon the advice of counsel, do you?

A--Yes, sir.

Q--Did you circulate the petition referred to among the stockholders for the purpose of inducing the stockholders to bring a suit against anybody?

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to that as incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial; having nothing to do with the claim of Mr. Burrell against the Union National Bank; and counsel has not stated the object in the question.

Mr. Chapman: Q--Have any of the officers or directors of the Union National Bank advised you not to answer any of the questions that have been put to you this morning?

Mr. Fitzgerald: Answer the question.

A--No, sir.

Mr. Chapman: Q--Has any attorney representing the Union National Bank advised you not to answer any of the questions that have been put to you this morning?

Mr. Fitzgerald: Answer the question.

A--No, sir.

Q--Do you know whether or not Mr. Fitzgerald represents the Union National Bank?

Mr. Fitzgerald: Perfectly immaterial. We object upon the grounds that it is perfectly incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial.

Mr. Chapman: Q--You do know do you not, that Mr. Fitzgerald represents the Union National Bank, and that he has instructed you this morning, or advised you, not to answer certain questions that have been put?

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to that as incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial. The record speaks for itself.

Mr. Chapman: Q--You know that, don't you?

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to it. What has it got to do with the case?

Mr. Chapman: Q--You do know, do you not, that by your declaration to answer these questions, that the officers and directors of the Union National Bank of Oakland are now seeking to get under cover? You know that, don't you?

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to the question as entirely incompetent and unrelated for, nothing in the record to justify it, the officers of this bank having testified fully and freely.

Mr. Chapman: They have not all testified yet; they seem to be pretty slow about coming up.

Mr. Fitzgerald: They will come up whenever it suits your convenience and mine. I think it is unfair to me and to them.

Chapman Not Unfair

Mr. Chapman: I don't mean to be unfair.

Mr. Fitzgerald: Haven't they come up any time when you were ready, and no advantage taken of any delay, or anything of that kind?

Mr. Chapman: Q--Mr. Stevenson, I now show you what purports to be a copy of a receipt, and I will ask you to look at it, and state whether or not that was not connected in any way with the petition that you have referred to.

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to it as incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial; and no foundation laid for it, nothing stated as to the object of the question, or what is intended to be proved, and I instruct the witness not to answer it.

Mr. Chapman: Q--Now, Mr. Fitzgerald instructs you not to answer; I will ask you if you are under any obligation to Mr. Fitzgerald, either as an attorney or otherwise?

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to that as incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial; I advise the witness not to answer.

Mr. Chapman: Direct him to answer.

The Notary Public: Answer the question, Mr. Witness.

Mr. Fitzgerald: I advise him not to answer it, as having nothing to do with the case.

A--On the advice of Mr. Fitzgerald I will have to object.

Mr. Chapman: Q--I call your attention to a copy of a receipt which reads as follows:

"Oakland, Calif., April 14th, 1908.

"Received from Mr. J. L. Woodward \$12.50, being his proportion of \$1.25 per share of \$1,000 retainer in re suit to recover on Arizona contract."

(Signed) A. L. STEVENSON."

Do you know anything about that?

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to it.

Mr. Chapman: Wait a moment, Mr. Fitzgerald. I am not through.

Mr. Fitzgerald: Excuse me.

Will Not Answer

Mr. Chapman: Q--Do you know anything about an original receipt of which this purports to be a copy, relating in any manner to the recovery on the Arizona contract?

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to that as incompetent, immaterial and irrelevant.

and on the further ground that counsel has made no statement of what he purports to want to prove, and that it has no bearing on any matter set out in the complaint in the present action, and I advise the witness not to answer.

Mr. Chapman: Direct him to answer.

The Notary Public: Answer the question, Mr. Witness.

A--Again I will have to object, not meaning any discourtesy to the court.

Mr. Chapman: Let Mr. Fitzgerald do the objecting, you do the declining.

A--I decline.

Mr. Connelley: You decline upon the advice of counsel?

A--Yes, sir.

Q--Isn't it a fact, Mr. Stevenson, that you were employed in the month of March and April, 1908, to secure--by the Union National Bank of Oakland, and its officers and directors--to secure money with which to pay Charles S. Wheeler, an attorney at law of the City and County of San Francisco, a retainer of \$1000?

A--No, sir.

Q--In order to bring a suit on behalf of certain stockholders of the Union National Bank in relation to the Arizona contract?

A--No, sir.

Q--You did secure, did you not, money for that purpose.

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to that. That is irrelevant, incompetent and immaterial, the question not stating from who or whom, or any of those matters, or what counsel intends to prove or hopes to prove.

(The reporter reads the last question.)

Mr. Chapman: Q--I will modify the question. You did secure from Mr. J. L. Woodward, did you not, \$12.50 at the rate of \$1.25 per share on the stock held by him to pay in part a retainer in a suit to recover on the Arizona contract?

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to it as irrelevant, incompetent and immaterial; has no bearing on any issue in the complaint, and no object stated by counsel as to what he intends or hopes to prove by any answer to the question, and I advise the witness not to answer.

Declines Interview

Mr. Chapman: Instruct the witness.

The Notary Public: Answer the question, Mr. Witness.

The Witness: I decline to answer, not desiring to be discourteous to the Court.

Mr. Chapman: Q--Were you instructed, Mr. Stevenson, before you came here this morning, in declining to answer, that you should do so and state that you did so without discourtesy to the Court?

Mr. Fitzgerald: Object to that as irrelevant, incompetent and immaterial; has no bearing on the case, and not involved in any issue in the case.

Mr. Chapman: Q--Were you told by Mr. Fitzgerald to include in your declaration to testify the statement that you did so without discourtesy to the Court?

Mr. Fitzgerald: I object to it on the ground that it is incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial. The record will bear out that I suggested that to him while he was in the room here the first time.

A--That is the only time, Mr. Chapman.

Mr. Fitzgerald: Let him answer it, though, if you think there is anything of that kind going on--I will let you go into it.

The Retainer Fee

Mr. Chapman: Q--Did Mr. James DeFreemery request you to collect money to pay the \$1000 retainer that I have spoken of?

Mr. Fitzgerald: We object to that as incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial; and not bearing on any issue in the complaint, and, further--that counsel lays no foundation for



## How We Treat Our Judges.

Judge Waste's collapse in the courtroom from overwork and physical exhaustion is directly due to neglect of a public duty on the part of the Legislature. There are no more industrious judges on the bench in California than the Superior Judges of Alameda county. In no other county in the State are the judges burdened with such a vast amount of labor. And while the volume of court business they are required to handle is rapidly increasing, the Legislature refused to increase the salaries and only after much pleading passed the bill increasing the number of judges from five to six. On an average a Los Angeles superior judge does less than half the work performed by the Alameda judges. Two years ago the Legislature raised the salaries of the San Francisco Superior Judges to \$5000, but the compensation of the Alameda judges was not increased. At the recent session Los Angeles county was given three more judges, although that county already had nine judges to Alameda county's five. A showing was made justifying the addition of three more judges to the Alameda bench, and for an increase of salary, but the Legislature turned down the bill to increase the compensation and reluctantly gave the county one additional judge.

It is a shame that our judiciary should be overworked and underpaid. It is against public policy and it is most unjust. Our five judges have been doing the work of ten men, and they do it for a great deal less than they could earn with much less exertion in the practice of their profession. We demand ability, learning, rectitude, diligence and fairness on the bench, yet we overwork and underpay our judges.

Judge Waste has been working like a stevedore to keep up with the business of his court, neglecting his personal affairs, and carrying the cares and labors of the judicial office into his home and to his pillow at night. He worked till he fell with exhaustion at his post of duty.

Is this fair to him or a sound policy from a public standpoint? Judge Waste is an ideal magistrate. His patience and application are enormous, his fidelity to duty almost quixotic, his probity unquestioned and his fairness the admiration of the local bar. He can step off the bench today and enter upon a lucrative practice that will give him a much better compensation than he receives with far less labor and worry, and which will permit him leisure and abundant time to look after his own affairs. While he finds the judicial office congenial to his talents, taste and temperament, the policy being pursued toward him and his colleagues on the bench threatens to drive him out of the public service. It is a policy that will inevitably fill the bench of this county with inferior men if persisted in.

## Oakland's Commercial Development

The San Francisco correspondent of the Stockton Mail discusses the question of Oakland's control of its water front and its plans for its development for commercial uses, in which he says: "The people of Oakland—the men who run things—have agreed among themselves that if they are to build up an important city there the control of the water front must be kept at home and that the State shall not be permitted to have anything to say about it. To that end they have agreed that they will stop fighting among themselves and come to terms with the Southern Pacific Company, on a basis of give and take and a division of water front assets. That agreement has been consummated." He then gives his version of the manner in which the division has been made which, although wide of the mark, may be overlooked, as it gives him the opportunity of saying the following about Oakland which is more to the point, and worth quoting, although there are some features of the paragraph colored by local prejudices:

"Oakland has undoubted potentialities as a manufacturing city, but their development has been hindered by eternal quarrels over water front titles. At last the people have come to recognize the fact and have reconciled their differences. This means an important change of the industrial situation on the bay, and the commercial bodies on that side of the bay are conducting a stiff canvass in the hope of persuading San Francisco concerns to come across. Strong inducements are held out and natural facilities are by themselves well worth considering. Oaklanders used to say that San Francisco is located on 'the wrong side of the bay,' and while this is not true, yet the Oakland shore is superior in many respects. The Oaklanders will never cut any important figure in ocean transportation because their access to deep water is quite limited as well as difficult of construction, but for handling the coastwise trade they are better fixed than San Francisco. Vessels of light draft are better protected over there, and the manufacturing sites are unquestionably superior."

The main point in the foregoing is that San Franciscans are beginning to form a correct estimate of Oakland's importance as a manufacturing city and are willing to concede that for manufacturing sites and in some other respects it possesses superior advantages to San Francisco. But the Mail correspondent, like a great many other people residing on the western side of the bay, is slow to understand Oakland's commercial potentialities. When he says "Oaklanders will never cut any important figure in ocean transportation," and that our commerce will be limited to vessels of light draft employed in the coastwise trade, for which he admits we "are better fixed than San Francisco," he allows himself to be blinded by local prejudice.

It may be a matter of interest to San Franciscans generally to know that the inner harbor of Oakland alone has a frontage available for commerce which is practically fourteen miles long, or double the length of the available water front of San Francisco and that there is approximately 13,000 lineal feet of wharfage already in existence and being used by shipping; that for three and one-half miles from the entrance of the harbor a channel has been opened 500 feet wide and 25 feet in depth at ordinary low water, and that the Federal government will soon deepen this section of the channel to a depth of 30 feet at low tide. When the latter is accomplished, Oakland harbor will be able to admit the largest ocean steamships afloat and move them to municipal and private wharves, where they can transfer their cargoes direct from the ship's hold to the railroad car. Moreover, within the next five or six years, the Southern Pacific and the Western Pacific companies will have improved their western water front holdings by dredging and the construction of docks at which the biggest steamships employed in trans-Pacific trade will moor and load and unload their cargoes. These are facts about Oakland's commercial development which are indisputable.

The Stockton Record denies that it turned yellow on St. Patrick's Day to display its hatred and contempt for the Irish. It claims that it took on the color of the "pious and immortal memory" as an evidence of its enthusiasm for good roads. We give the explanation for what it is worth, but why coming out on St. Patrick's Day on orange-tinted paper is a proof of an ardent desire for good roads is a trifle obscure. Would not some other color or some other day fit the case as well?

## THAT ANXIOUS MOMENT



WHEN YOU'RE NOT QUITE SURE AS TO THE NATURE OF YOUR RECEPTION.

—CHICAGO DAILY NEWS.

## Street and Sidewalk Improvements.

One of the subjects which Mayor Mott will discuss in his message to the new Council on Monday night will be the improvement of streets and sidewalks. It is to be presumed in advance that it will be from a broad and progressive viewpoint. It would be entirely foreign to the Mayor's past record on public improvements for it to be otherwise. It is understood that he has traversed the subject in conference with Councilman Ellsworth and that he is in accord with the latter's ideas regarding the policy that should be carried out in future.

There is certainly a necessity for a radical change in the treatment of street pavements and in the maintenance of sidewalks. The former are being worn out by the tremendous traffic which has been developed during the past three years. The latter were laid all over the city under the progressive administration which put the charter into effect twenty years ago. But since that time the policy of keeping the sidewalks in repair has been apathetic. Many of them are wrecked in spots on that account and nothing has been done to induce the owners of the property fronting on the damaged sidewalks to put them in good condition. The fact remains, however, that there is nothing more damaging to the property directly interested than the defective sidewalk for which it is responsible. Furthermore, it affects detrimentally the property immediately adjacent to it, the sidewalk fronting on which may be in perfect order. A community of interest in good sidewalks, therefore, exists which it is the duty of the municipal authorities to protect. It rests with the administration to compel the repair of broken sidewalks.

As to street work, the standard of materials used should be raised. It is essential, for example, that a higher standard of macadam should be established than is now in force. Nothing short of the best work obtainable can be acceptable hereafter.

Good streets and good sidewalks are accepted by a great many people as the standard whereon the community shall be judged. Poor sidewalks and wrecked street pavements are damaging advertisements. They indicate a lack of civic interest on the part of property-owners and the public authorities in the eyes of visiting strangers. They neutralize the effect of public improvements of another character however important they may be. Sidewalks and street pavements in good order, on the other hand, cover a multitude of other shortcomings which are not as conspicuous to the eye of the casual observer. It is in order for the city to correct all these street and sidewalk defects. It is the keynote to Oakland's future prosperity.

"AUTOMOBILE MURDER"  
CLAIMS BOY VICTIM

NEW YORK, April 2.—Eugene Kock, a 12-year-old Brooklyn boy is believed to be dying in a hospital today, the victim of what is becoming known as "automobile murder." He was struck last night while playing in the street by a red touring car containing two men and two women. After hitting the little fellow the car redoubled its speed and sped onward.

The case attracts more than perfunctory interest in view of the fact that the police are still searching for the chauffeur of the car that killed 13-year-old Ingrid Trimble on Saturday. The Kock boy is the third child to be thus run down during the week so far, but the drivers and occupants of none of the cars have been found.

ROCKEFELLER EXAMPLE  
FOR STRUGGLING MEN

NEW YORK, April 2.—Two hundred and sixteen young men entered business and industrial struggle in New York today with the life of John D. Rockefeller before them as a model. R. Fulton Cutting, in an address last night at the graduation exercises of the New York Trade School, pictured Mr. Rockefeller, not the unrelenting trust magnate but an example of what persistence and temperance may accomplish. He said: "Take John D. Rockefeller for a model as you go through life, I fear in mind that he started in a humble position at a very small salary and by patience, hard work and perseverance won his way to the top."

IS BADLY BEATEN IN  
FIGHT IN RESTAURANT

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—Frank Wheeler of 926 Minnesota street, a conductor in the employ of the United Railroads, was severely beaten in a fight with an unknown man in a restaurant at 1508 Kentucky street. Just how the trouble started could not be learned, but shortly after seating himself at a table in the place, Wheeler began an encounter with a man who had been opposite him, and before a waiter could interfere he had been rendered unconscious. He was removed to the Potrero Hospital, where it was found that he had sustained severe contusions of the head and body and possible internal injuries.

The police will make an investigation.

OVER 300 STUDENTS  
GO OUT ON A STRIKE

NEW YORK, April 2.—"The strike" of 300 or more students at Manhattan College, a Roman Catholic institution in the upper part of the city, is still in force today, but a committee of five students has been appointed to confer with the president of the college alumnus and hope of an amicable settlement is in sight. The students walked out yesterday to show their displeasure at the expulsion of John Nugent of Troy, N. Y. They demand the resignation of Brother Peter, the president of the institution, whose methods of discipline they find objectionable.

## SADDLE ROCK CAFE.

Have you tried our 40c lunch? If not, it's time.

For "Automobile Eye" Insurance ask your druggist for Murine Eye Remedy.

WILL INTEREST ALL  
BOOSTERS OF OAKLAND

EDITOR OAKLAND TRIBUNE:

No one interested in the welfare of Oakland should miss reading the opening article in the April number of Everybody's Magazine concerning the improvement of the water-ways of the country. A striking contrast is drawn between the improved methods of utilizing these avenues of commerce in parts of Europe as against the crude ways generally found in the United States. It is enough to make an American, who is apt to think he knows it all, hang his head, and it should and doubtless will serve as a stimulus to wake us to realize our possibilities and how to improve them. Every man in Oakland should buy or borrow this magazine and study the article in question carefully. It will be shown that without costing the taxpayers one cent, a commerce of a few thousand tons in inland German cities having only river water-ways, grew to millions of tons transforming dull communities into live ones bustling with business. It will naturally occur to the reader that the conditions there described will fit those in Oakland, so far as the unimproved harbor is concerned, after that the similarity ceases, but we have infinite possibilities, we have the ground work of immense things and it only remains for us to make the most of them to witness an era of prosperity unexampled here. The movement has been started, now is the opportune time to push it and PUSH IT HARD. The Panama canal will soon be completed and even before then, Government lines of steamers will be bringing hundreds of thousands of tons of freight to Pacific ports for distribution to the interior. On this side of the bay is the natural place for their transshipment. Here we want the docks, the warehouses, then will come the firms to do the handling and forwarding of both imports and exports. Hundreds of clerks, freight handlers and truckmen will be employed, the streets will be filled with traffic, population will be attracted, money will flow in; values will be greatly enhanced and Oakland will be a great commercial city, and by proper management all this can be brought about without costing us a dollar. There has been much talk along these lines, now the question is shall we go ahead and DO SOMETHING?

If a carefully selected committee be formed from the various commercial bodies together with some from the city council and get to work, formulate and submit plans of decisive action promptly, we may hope and later see the carrying out of our desires. PUSH and PULL are a hard team to beat.

East Oakland, March 29, '09

Grand Spring Opening  
THE ELITE  
Clothiers and Tailors  
Now 17 Kearny St.

Near Geary St., S. F.  
New Spring Imported Woolsens now being shown; beautiful designs; exclusive, immense stock to select from; highest class workmanship.

PRICES THE LOWEST  
Our Ready-Made Suit Department is one of the largest and choicest in the city. Call on us for High Grade, Up-to-date Suits. Immense assortment.

ELITE TAILORING CO.  
Now 17 Kearny St., S. F.  
Formerly of 1011 Broadway, Oakland.

## Suppression of the Opium Traffic.

The Federal statute passed by Congress at its last session prohibits the importation of opium and makes the possession thereof unlawful. But the opium ring starts in business on new lines with a stock valued at \$400,000, in which duty has been paid and which is, therefore, exempt from seizure, as the basis for future operations. No legislation ever enacted has been able to suppress the traffic in opium once the opium smuggling habit was established and there is no denying the fact that it has grown to huge proportions in this country within the past fifty years. Of course, the Orientals have been responsible chiefly for its introduction in this country, but to bacco manufacturers and others have aided and abetted it, until the vice has grown in various forms to such proportions that Congress has been forced to pass prohibitive legislation of the most drastic character.

The magnitude of the opium trade in the United States is shown by the fact that in the past ten years the government has derived a revenue of \$9,600,000 from it through the collection of duties. But the nearly \$1,000,000 a year import tax collected does not by any means represent the actual extent of the trade in the drug. Opium smuggling has been conducted on an extensive scale for over a half century and the smuggling ring was never stronger than it is today. The ring is established on this coast, but its ramifications extend in all directions throughout the country. It is more than likely that the prohibition of opium importations and its sale will increase rather than lessen the activities of the smuggling ring and the character and great length of the Pacific coast will facilitate the illicit traffic. It is doubtless a realization of this fact that has prompted Senator Perkins to anticipate the ring's activities and urge the stationing of two additional revenue cutters to patrol the coast as a precautionary measure to more effectively suppress smuggling the interdicted drug. It will be no more difficult to control the unlawful business in the well established port on the coast than it has been in the past. But, hereafter, it is small out-of-the-way and little frequented coves and landing-places which are likely to figure as the rendezvous of opium smugglers, and it is these points which must be kept under constant surveillance by the revenue service from this time on to suppress the illicit traffic and make the prohibitive law which went into operation yesterday effective.

In India they have a proverb, when hunting the tiger be careful that the tiger does not hunt you. Spreckels, Burns, Older et al. doubtless feel the significance of this old saying.

## NOTE EXCERPT

Roulet de Rouen may reflect on the accuracy of the text that pride goes before a fall.

Bolton: Whatever we conceive clearly we express with ease, and the words flow with ease.

Frank Gott's favorite novel, according to those who know him best, is: "To have and to hold."

Emerson: Manners form at last a rich varnish, with which the routine of life is washed, and its details adjoined.

A Chicago packer is being prosecuted for cruelty to hogs. Customers should ask for and expect to get Pinkie's hams.

Chastman Serebo Payne ought to have the Order of the Garter conferred upon him, in recognition of his effort to keep stockings up.

Or perhaps the new tariff law is to be commonly known as the Payne bill, because the consumer will have to keep tight on Payne.

There is some doubt as to which of the New York papers will be the first to send out a relief expedition to rescue the Roosevelt party.

The most atrocious pun perpetrated since March 4 is that of the Indianapolis News, which says that the new President is "big Bull Aft."

A tax on corporation dividend, one of the measures proposed in Washington, would be almost as "confiscatory" and oppressive as an income tax.

Kidnaping ought to be made a capital offense in every State, for the reason that the crime is so outrageous and not because capitalists are really the victims of it.

London, where roller skating has for months been a craze, may not know it, but the sport is an aid to temperance. This is the testimony of the chief of police of Wausau, Wis., who declares that gliding about on rollers has developed into an effective antidote to intemperance. Its attracting power is decidedly stronger for young men than for women, says the chief, and a large majority of the youths who used to frequent barrooms before the sport came into vogue can now be found at the rink.

President Taft insists that his name is pronounced with the "fak" and not "Tahft." It will be recalled that one of the most serious charges brought against Chester I. Long in Kansas last year was that he pronounced it, "Tahft," contrary to the Kansas language.

Aboard the stage coach in the Virginia mountains an old man and an old woman were fellow passengers. The old woman kept staring at him as if trying to remember. At last she said: "Stranger, please to me I seen you somewhere." The old man eyed her reflectively and scratched his head. "Space you have," said he. "Ah been there."

Concerning the prejudice against whistling on Sunday in Scotland, this story is told: Two men, who had done a burglary job on Saturday night, went on Sunday morning into a wood to divide the plunder. One of them began to whistle over the division, when his companion said, with horror: "Hoot, men, I would not have come out w' ye if I had known you would whistle on the Sabbath."

"If you have typhoid fever in your neighborhood you deserve it. If you have scarlet fever, you deserve it." This was the assertion of Dr. W. A. Evans, health commissioner of Chicago, in an address recently. "I mean," he added, "that where typhoid and scarlet fever epidemics occur they are always deserved. They never enter in unless the door is left open. And the careless ones are those who permit the doors to remain ajar."

No Formality or  
Introduction  
Necessary

To open a savings account with the Central Bank no introduction is necessary. All that is required is make your deposit, sign your name and answer a few questions to fully identify the depositor in the future, after which a bank book is issued showing the amount deposited.

It will be to your advantage to have an account with this Reliable Banking Institution.

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14TH AND BROADWAY, OAKLAND  
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## Moss's Easter Opening

### New

**GLOVES PARASOLS CORSETS BELTS VEILINGS**



As usual, when Easter—or any other prominent event—rolls around, everybody expects that the newest and best in Gloves, Parasols, Corsets, Belts and Veilings will be found at Moss's.

Nor will they be disappointed. Nothing is missing that ought to be here.

### Great Easter Special in Gloves

**At \$1** (Sold only while on display in window.) Ladies' single large clasp fine quality P. K. sewn Kid; come in white, brown, slate, mode, tan, navy and green. Good value at \$1.50. Special \$1.00.

### Two Good \$1.50 Gloves

(We are sole agents for Oakland.) The Maggioni—"The queen of all gloves"; made of the finest of real French Kid; Paris point embroidery; comes in black, white and all colors; \$1.50 per pair. "The Derby"—The great walking glove; a smart 2-clasp P. K. sewn Kid; new stitches; comes in black, white and all colors; stylish and perfect fitting; \$1.50 per pair.

Men's Gloves for Easter—See display in window—All kinds at popular prices.

### Exclusive Parasol Display

Have you seen our striking display of this season's Parasols. In variety of styles, colors and grades it's almost limitless. Prettiest of effects in white, pongee, solid and fancy colors, novel Dresdens and Tokio Parasols—anything that can be devised to harmonize with any costume:

Pongee Parasols from ..... 75c to \$ 6.00  
Fancy Colored Parasols from ..... 60c to \$15.00  
Mourning Parasols from ..... \$1.00 to \$10.00  
Children's Parasols from ..... 25c to \$ 3.00

### NEW VEILINGS NEW BELTS For EASTER

All shades and weaves—Complete variety.

### Corsets of Faultless Vogue

THE NEMO CORSETS embrace every good feature in figure building. They insure comfort, correct lines and a perfect figure. All the new models are now here. Prices from \$1.50 to \$10.00.

Royal Worcester, Bon Ton, Sapphire and "P. D." Corsets also carried in complete lines.

## MOSS

GLOVES UMBRELLAS CORSETS

### 459 Thirteenth St.

## OPPOSES SYSTEM OF FREE TRADE

Resident Commissioner of the Philippines Voices Sentiments in House

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The voice of the Filipino for the first time was heard in the legislative halls of Congress. It was heard in protest against the system of free trade, which the Payne bill seeks to establish with the Philippines.

Standing in his place in the House of Representatives, Pablo Ocampo de Leon, resident commissioner of that far island possession of the United States, criticized the proposition for free trade because, he said, it would cause a decrease in the revenues of the islands, and act upon the trusts in such a way as to preclude the possibility of independence. Speaking for the Filipinos and voicing their sentiments, Ocampo de Leon pleaded for such independence.

At the conclusion of his remarks, Goulden of New York made the statement that at a public dinner in Washington before he was President, Mr. Taft declared that when he went to the Philippines he was credibly informed that if he could get the influence and active support of Ocampo de Leon he would have no trouble in pacifying the Filipino people.

## ELITE TO ATTEND FORUM OPENING

Cafe Under Management of Gustav Mann Is Being Completely Renovated

An important social event of next week will be the reopening of The Forum on Thursday evening, April 8. Hundreds of invitations for the event have been issued by Gustav Mann, the popular new manager of Broadway's handsomest cafe, and already scores of its former patrons have signified by card their intention of attending.

The cafe is to be handsomely decorated for the occasion with potted plants, roses, carnations, ferns, etc., and music will be furnished by an orchestra throughout the evening.

Gustav Mann has had the Forum completely renovated and newly frescoed, with the idea of surpassing its former elegance and of making it more than come up to the expectations of the social set, who since the close of Mr. Mann's management, have been waiting with no little impatience for the cafe to reopen.

## MORE INDICTMENTS AGAINST PRETENDERS

CHICAGO, April 2.—Two additional indictments against W. Vernon Booth, president of the defunct A. Booth & Co., and Frederick R. Robbins, assistant treasurer of the company, were returned by the grand jury today. The firm of A. Booth & Co. was also named in the indictment. The indictments charge the corporation and officials with having obtained credit upon false pretenses and also with having obtained money by false representations.

The Continental National Bank of Chicago, which loaned \$300,000 to the company, is the complainant in the indictments.

## JUDGE MURPHY WILL TAKE UP WASTE'S WORK

In response to the telegram sent by County Clerk Cook yesterday in connection with the collapse of Judge William H. Waste in the chambers of his department at the Court House, Superior Judge Harris this morning received a telegram from Superior Judge J. D. Murphy, of Mono county, advising that he would arrive in Oakland in time to take up Judge Waste's duties where illness forced him to suspend them, on Monday morning next. Judge Murphy also states that he will give three weeks of his time to business in the sick jurist's department.

## SADDLE ROCK CAFE.

Have you tried our 40c lunch? If not, it's time.



**H.C. Carwell Co.**  
THE LACE HOUSE  
12th AND WASHINGTON STS.  
OAKLAND.

### Easter Ribbon Novelties

Our Easter display of ribbons is a little more tempting this year than usual owing to the large line of novelties. To describe these fully and do them justice would be superfluous—come and see them.

## Pre-Easter Advice

Twenty years in business justifies us in giving just a little of what the unwise are said to reject.

THE Easter display in this store is just what Fashion demands it should be. This applies to Tailored Suits, Costumes, Easter Hats, Silk Petticoats, Children's Dresses and Headwear, latest Corset styles, Parasols, Ribbons and all dress accessories for women and misses. Make your choice as early as possible. It requires time to properly alter and fit garments and to build hats that give unalloyed satisfaction. Better have your Easter things delivered a few days early than one hour late.

## Silk Petticoats

### High-Grade, New Styles \$4.50 SPECIAL

You could not want for ordinary wear any better grade of taffeta than these petticoats are made of. There are three distinct styles, each new this season. One has very deep flounce, shirred at top and with three tailored bands. The other two styles are strictly tailored with cording and ruffle.

Colors include ashes of roses, old rose, lavender, scarlet, wistaria, browns, greens, Copenhagen, electric, changeable blue and green, black and green, white and apple and other new shades and combinations.

## A Swell Easter Suit

### Can be easily selected from our great values, PRICED \$25

One-piece and two-piece tailored suits of today's vogue in splendid range of colors. Exquisite one-piece suits in Rajahs, messalines, foulards and fine French serges; solid colors or figured. It is impossible to approach a full appreciation of the true values of these suits until you see them, feel them, compare them. Choice of these complete lines \$25.00

## Spring's Prettiest Styles in Children's Fancy Hats

A beautiful display of Easter headwear for young folks from 2 to 14 years.

New styles include fine Lawn and Lingerie Hats trimmed in a multitude of dainty ways with ruffles, large bows of ribbon, bunches of daisies, baby roses; some with new turned-down effects—

**\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and to \$6.75**

Pique Hats, buttoned crown, flat ..... 85c

The "Corday" Hats for misses ..... \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

## Your Easter Hat is Here



More than likely your ideal hat is on one of the stands in our Millinery display. If so, the price will certainly please you.

If your exact choice be not here you can surely be satisfied, for our selection of shapes and trimmings is of such vastness and variety that we can promise anything.

### Smart \$5.00 Hats

Come and see the excellent values in Trimmed Hats on sale Saturday at \$5.

## Season's Newest Styles in Dainty White Waists

### of Lawn, Lingerie and Mull

Every good kind of white waist is included in this selection. The every-day Lawn Waist, plain tailored and tucked, the lace and embroidery-trimmed waists with the new tight mousquetaire sleeves, the soft, sheer Lingerie and Mull Waists—all are here in seasonable abundance. Prices range..... **\$1.25, \$1.50 and to \$13.50**

The latest arrivals are the embroidery and lace-trimmed Waists with wide, turn-down collar, Dutch neck ..... **\$2.50 and \$3.50**

## NOT THE MAN WANTED ON CHARGES OF FRAUD

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 2.—Officers from Boston who arrived here this morning declared that W. W. Fowler, who has been under arrest here, was not O. W. Owen, who is wanted in Boston on charges of fraud. Fowler was at once released.

## DUTY REASSESSMENT IS ORDERED BY LOEB

NEW YORK, April 2.—Reassessment of duties amounting to a total increase of \$1,239,000 on sugar imported by the American Sugar Refining co., at the refinery of Havensmeyer and Elder, between December, 1905 and November, 1907, have been ordered by Collector Loeb of the port of New York.

## Sale of Trimmed Hats



**\$5.00**



We place on sale an immense collection of hats at \$5.00, not one of which can be duplicated for anywhere near that price. Pressed hats in the most becoming modes, beautifully trimmed with wings, ribbons and flowers. Made hats of all the new popular braids, lavishly embellished; all the new colors—to match any gown. Correct tailored hats in profusion of beautiful styles.

Hats for Ladies—Hats for Misses—Hats for Children—hundreds of beautiful, charming, artistically trimmed hats—you'll enthuse over them and frankly admit you have never seen such stunning creations at so moderate a price.

## S. N. Wood & Co.

Washington at Eleventh Street

## POSTMISTRESS HAS RESIGNED

C. Q. Rideout and Henry Abernathy Are Applicants for San Leandro Postmastership

SAN LEANDRO, April 2.—Mrs. F. B. Church, who has been postmistress of this city for over six years, has resigned and will retire from office as soon as her successor is appointed.

Mrs. Church was an old friend of Mrs. McKinley, and when the latter's husband was elected President, the former was given the office of postmistress without any contest whatever.

There are two active candidates to succeed Mrs. Church, C. Q. Rideout and Henry Abernathy, both well known residents of this city. They are making an active fight for the office.

Congressman Jos. R. Knowland will recommend the successor to Mrs. Church.

## WILL GO ON WITH WORK OF LAYING NEW SEWER

ALAMEDA, April 2.—City Engineer Chapman started a gang of workmen laying the sewer at Eleventh and Park avenue this morning after a long delay. First the long continued rains prevented the work from progressing, then the Southern Pacific track layers interfered when replacing the old rails with the new ones. But Chapman declares the sewer will now be installed with all possible speed as he does not apprehend any reason for delay, unless an earthquake throws the sewer out in the street again.

## PAYS VISIT TO SCENE OF HIS EARLY WORKS

ALAMEDA, April 2.—Fred C. Stover, Northwestern agent for the Gamewell fire alarm system, with headquarters in Chicago, a former resident of this city, where he lived for a number of years at Central avenue and Sherman street, paid a visit to Fire Chief Fred Krauth yesterday, accompanied by A. J. Coffey, the San Francisco agent of the company.

Stover installed the Gamewell system in this city a number of years ago when he was a resident here. He was at one time a member of the Volunteer Fire Department, and was quite prominent in club life. He will return to Chicago in a few days to take up his work again.

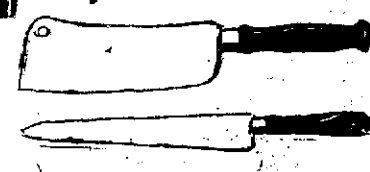
## COUNCILMEN WILL BE GUESTS OF MAYOR MOTT

At the Hotel Metropole this evening.

the members of the new City Council and the Board of Public Works will be the guests of Mayor Mott at dinner. The affair, which will be informal, is designed primarily to bring together the officials for a general interchange of views, and the better acquaintance of the new members of the Council. The welfare of the municipality will be the principal subject under discussion.

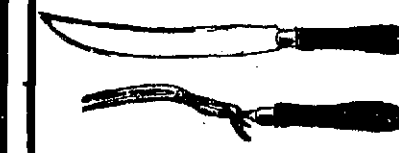
## JACKSON'S

Saturday specials take them home to your wife



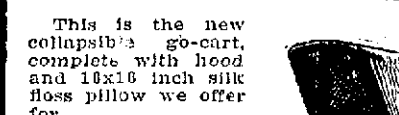
Three piece kitchen set 45c

Worth a dollar—guaranteed set. 12-inch cleaver—14-inch knife, 7-inch paring knife. Imperial steel blades, wood handles, fasten on with nickel ferrules. A POST-PAID \$1.00 VALUE.



Fork and carver 25c

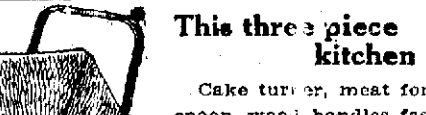
Worth 75c, a handy carving set for fowl, 13-inch knife, 11-inch fork, with rest for holding knife; neat design, tempered steel blades.



This is the new collapsible go-cart, complete with hood and 10x16 inch silk floor pillow we offer for

**\$6.50**

Same Cart without hood, **\$5.50**



This three piece kitchen set 20c

Cake turner, meat fork and basting spoon, wood handles fastened on with ferrule, exactly as illustrated. Saturday 20c.

REMEMBER, if you buy the three specials you get them for 75c.

THE DIGNIFIED CREDIT STORE  
FURNITURE  
JACKSON FURNITURE CO.  
CARPETS  
325 Twelfth Street Oakland







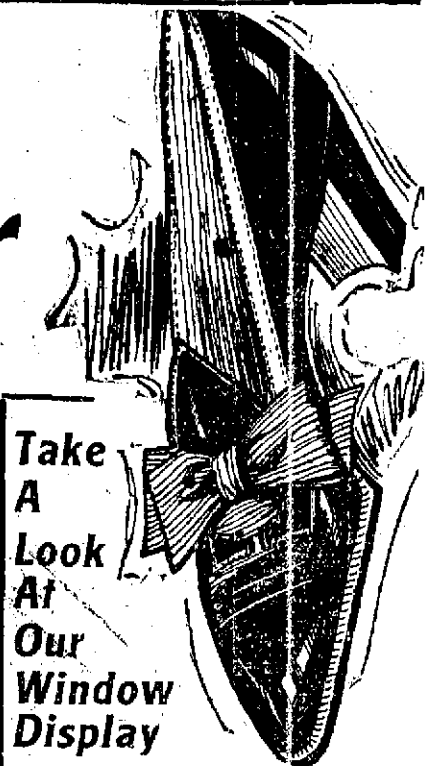
Kahns' The Always Busy Store Kahns'

# Easter Footwear

We can supply just the proper footwear to add the last dainty touch to that Easter costume.

We have all the new fads and fashions—  
In high shoes, pumps, Oxfords and ribbon ties—  
In patent colt, vici kid, gunmetal kid, Russia calf and all others leathers used for footwear purposes—  
In black, tan, white and all sorts of stunning combinations.

Prices? Anywhere from \$2.50 for the kind that sell elsewhere at \$3.00 and \$3.50 up to \$7.00 for the aristocrats of shoedom.



Take A Look At Our Window Display

## Underwear and Hosiery

Dependable Sorts At Special Prices

Women's Swiss Ribbed Lisle Thread Under-vests—made with low neck and hand-crocheted yokes in various pretty designs—excellent and comfortable garments—Special value at **50c**

Boys' Summer Weight Union Suits—made of fine Egyptian cotton—high neck—long sleeves—open crotch and drop seat—the well known and popular "Muns-ing" brand—per suit **60c**

Children's Fast Black Hosiery—for boys and girls—three thread—1x1 ribbed—real maco cotton—narrowed ankles—high spliced heels and double toes—full of service—Special price, per pair **25c**

Women's Real Maco Cotton Hosiery—genuine Hermsdorf black—warranted not to fade or crock—extra fine gauge—made expressly for Kahns'—put up 3 pairs in a box—per box **\$1.00**

## Felt Men's Hats Straw

Men's \$2.50 Felt Hats for \$2.25  
Men's \$3.50 Felt Hats for \$3.00  
Men's \$3.00 Straw Hats for \$2.50  
Men's \$4.00 Straw Hats for \$3.50  
Men's \$6.00 Straw Hats for \$5.00

This season's latest and smartest shapes.  
Our Hats have astonished lots of men. Even our competitors marvel that we can sell good hats at such low prices.



But there's no mystery about it. Men who buy from us have no maker's name and advertising to pay for—just hat worth. That's why our prices are so low.  
If you have nothing "on" for tomorrow, drop in and let us show our new things in neckwear, shirts and underwear. We have some really wonderful values.

**Kahn Bros**  
THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE  
TWELFTH AND WASHINGTON STS., OAKLAND

## FABIOLA HOSPITAL BOARD HONORS MRS. JOHN YULE

President of Association Is Recipient of Handsome Silver Ornament From Her Associates.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Fabiola Hospital Association, held this afternoon, Mrs. John Yule, who for the past twenty years has been president of the association, was given a testimonial. Mrs. Emmeline Chabot, president of the association, presented the distinguished past officer with a silver vase on a silver charger. It is an elaborate and costly token, designed in the classical Louis the Sixteenth style. The gift was selected by a committee composed of Mrs. E. Esterbrook, chairman; Mrs. J. P. H. Dunn and Mrs. A. G. Freeman. Among the ladies who contributed toward the present were Mrs. Florence Wells, Mrs. Marie Graenichen, Mrs. E. A. Heron, Mrs. H. C. Cupwell, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Wallace Emerson, Mrs. C. A. Chas. Mrs. Esterbrook, Mrs. George Dornin, Mrs. William Cliff, Mrs. Helen Rand, Mrs. J. P. H. Dunn, Mrs. Marie Hocua, Mrs. S. A. O'Neill, Mrs. W. E. Snook, Mrs. Allen D. Wilson, Mrs. R. W. McChesney, Mrs. Emmeline Chabot, Mrs. Isaac Regna, Mrs. Edward Walsh, Mrs. W. W. Standeford, Mrs. G. H. Collins, Mrs. Clara Shuey, Mrs. Hugh Hogan, Mrs. Hugo Abrahamson, Mrs. E. A. Whitaker, Mrs. Lillian M. Deering, Mrs. A. H. Glascock, Mrs. Graciele Abbott, Mrs. Nora Ryle, Mrs. George Chevalier, Mrs. R. S. Knight, Mrs. J. H. Dieckman, Mrs. Leon Boqueraz, Mrs. W. C. Edges and Mrs. T. L. Barker.

### Presentation Speech

The presentation speech was made by Mrs. Emmeline Chabot, who said the following sentiments, which were

embodied and presented to the past president: "Keenly appreciating the great and valuable services rendered by you in the relief of suffering humanity during the long term of your presidency of Fabiola, an institution now second to none, and equalled but by few on earth, we, who have worked at your side and under your guidance, are here today assembled to do you honor."  
"The hospital, as we contemplate it in its perfection, is a monument to your soul, your strength of purpose, your intelligence, your immense faith in your fellow beings. To express our feelings we offer and ask you to accept this testimonial of our profound esteem and unbounded admiration."  
"Wishing you many years of health and happiness."

### Mrs. Yule's Work

Mrs. Mathilde Brown, president of the California King's Daughters' Home for Incurables, made a few remarks, in which she commended the splendid work done by Mrs. Yule.  
During Mrs. Yule's administration a three-story new operating building was erected, which is conceded to be one of the best equipped edifices of its kind on the Pacific Coast. Improvements had been made in all the departments of the institution, which ranks high in the hospitals of the State. It has eleven directors and twenty-four managers, who supervise the work of the hospital. The association has an enrollment of from 250 to 300 members.

## AIRSHIP MAKES RETURN SAFELY

Count Zeppelin Is Greeted on Arrival by Prince Regent of Bavaria

DINGOLFING, Germany, April 2.—The Zeppelin airship that spent the night in an open field near this town, after having been driven by a storm yesterday from the neighborhood of Munich, reascended at 11:15 this morning and started on its return journey to the Bavarian capital. A moderate wind was blowing. On rising, the airship maneuvered in a satisfactory manner and headed in the direction of Munich, amid the cheers of thousands of spectators. Automobiles and several detachments of cavalry followed the route of the airship.

The ship was refueled this morning and the military engineers repaired the injuries sustained by the motors during the flight of yesterday.

Arrives at Munich  
MUNICH, April 2.—The Zeppelin airship appeared over Munich about half

## WILL MAKE OPENING NIGHT A TESTIMONIAL

Friends of Guy C. Smith, the new manager of The Broadway Theatre, formerly the Novelty, are planning to make Monday evening, the opening night of the house in the popular drama, "The Fatal Warning," a testimonial evening. Reservations have already been made for many seats in the orchestra circle, and in the seat side, which commenced this morning at 10 o'clock, orders came in thick and fast from many of Smith's former associates in the theatrical business. The latter have a gala surprise in store for him in the nature of a big send-off when the curtain rolls on Monday. They are particularly anxious to have him get up and make a speech. It is said that Smith possesses the dignity of the Boy Wonder of the La Platte and equals the Nebraska in humor and story telling.

The work of changing the Broadway from a vaudeville to a high-class dramatic house is going on steadily and the contractor has assured the manager that the carpenters and decorators will finish their labors Saturday or Sunday.

past one and made a successful landing on the parade grounds outside the city. The count was greeted by the Prince Regent of Bavaria and several princess and princesses of the royal family. Vast crowds assembled to witness the descent, which was made lightly and easily.



## Great Special For Easter Week

\$20 and \$25 Suits \$14.85

This special includes all the latest fabrics and styles that were manufactured for the season to be sold for \$20 and \$25, you can get them now at \$14.85.

Would you rather pay \$20 or \$25 for your Spring Suit, or come to us and get the same thing for \$14.85?

**Schwartz Bros**  
JUST LOTHIER'S FOR MAN AND BOY  
858-938 WASHINGTON ST. OAKLAND, CAL.

## YOUTH PUTS END TO LIFE WITH A BULLET

NEW YORK, April 2.—Walter Holshorn, a 15-year-old boy, shot himself dead on the roof of his home at Brooklyn last night. The body, huddled near the chimney, was found by his father. The boy left no explanatory note and his parents are at a loss to know why he killed himself. He was in good health and had no troubles.

## NAMED AS SUCCESSOR TO LORD KITCHENER

CHICAGO, April 2.—The Tribune today, in a special cable from London, says that General Sir O'Moore Creagh has been appointed commander-in-chief in India, to succeed General Lord Kitchener when the latter retires in August.

## Hundreds of Spring Opening Bargains

AND  
**Free Stereopticon Performance**  
WITH COLORED VIEWS  
AT THE

## Braley-Grote Furniture Co. Big Store Tomorrow Night Beginning at 8:30

This Feast of Art will take the minds of hundreds of people back to a few months ago, when we gave our Saturday night concerts, which were highly appreciated by so many of our friends throughout the county. You may have but this one opportunity to see this stereopticon performance, beautifully illustrated with colored views, and a lecture given by Mr. D. E. Bernays, who has traveled throughout the State and has addressed over 50,000 people with this lecture entitled, "The Fairy Land of the West." This lecture has been given during the past two weeks to many



school children in the city of Oakland, and no doubt, dear parent you have heard them speak of it with enthusiasm. Now is your opportunity for an hour's amusement, entertainment and enlightenment. Our object in presenting "The Fairy Land of the West" is simply to entertain in a royal way our friends and patrons, and to show you the great spring opening values we are giving. Music will be furnished by our Mr. Leon Mark Jones with the famous Adam Schaff Player-Piano. The whole entertainment will be a feast of art. Come and bring your friends.

## Some Extra Good Bargains for Saturday



Stand 55c

Stand 55c

This golden finished hardwood stand with 16-inch square top will be useful in thousands of homes for many places; fancy turned legs with self brace; cheap at \$1.25, but our Saturday special, only 55c.

We are showing the biggest display for the spring season that has ever been shown in Oakland. We want you to feel welcome and at home in our store, see our stock and get our prices. The address, 1358 Broadway, Oakland.



1358-60 Broadway, Near P. O.



Go-Cart \$1.65  
A substantial cart, light to handle; rubber tires; folds up easily and quickly; a cart you usually pay \$4.00 for; here Saturday, only \$1.65. Get one for the baby.

## Don't Buy Your Piano Now

Wait For Our Mammoth Sale Full Particulars in Sunday's Tribune

GIRARD PIANO CO.  
221-223 BROADWAY  
Piano Co.

## SEARS AFFILIATED WITH PASADENA OBSERVATORY

COLUMBIA, Mo., April 2.—Dr. Frederick H. Sears, professor of astronomy in the University of Missouri, resigned at a meeting of the executive board of the university held here today. He will become head of the computation division of the Solar Observatory at Pasadena, Cal.

KEEP LOOKING YOUNG. Do not allow your gray hairs to make you old looking. Gray haired people are back numbers. Do not be one. The use of

**Hay's Hair Health**

will permanently restore the youthful color to gray or faded hair, no matter how old you are. Will keep you looking young, feeling young. Will give you a beautiful head of hair that everyone will admire. Start using it NOW and BE YOUNG. IS NOT A DYE.

21 and 50c bottles, at druggists. Send 2c for free book, "The Care of the Hair." Philo Hay Spec. Co., Newark, N. J.

Owl Drug Co.'s Three Stores

## TO RENT Broadway Store

Opposite Post Office  
Two Large Plate Glass Windows  
To Rent at 1321 Broadway  
Apply at 1375-1377 Broadway

## CONGRESS AFTER FAKE SALE ADS

Proposed Bill Makes Merchants Liable to Fines for Deceiving Public

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Representative Coudray of Missouri has introduced a bill making it a misdemeanor for any one to make any fraudulent representations in advertisements, such as "bankrupt," "damaged goods," and "fire" when the goods offered for sale are not a part of a damaged or bankrupt stock. The bill is wide in its scope. It resembles the pure food law in that it requires advertisements of all goods to state precisely the material contents in the goods.

Advertisements of claims of superior professional skill or containing offers of "no cure, no pay," "money back if not cured," or "contract of cure" offered or false statements of any kind come under the prohibitions of the bill as do those containing fictitious testimonials. Violations are punishable by a fine of not less than \$100. Each day's continuance of the publication of such an advertisement is constituted a separate offense.

## MINING COMPANY FILES CORPORATION ARTICLES

Articles of incorporation of the R. N. Burgess Company, organized for the purpose of conducting a general real estate, mining and stock brokerage business in the United States and Mexico, with headquarters at Oakland, were filed with the county clerk today. The incorporators are R. O. Holston, R. N. Burgess, W. C. Burgess, James H. L'Hommedieu and H. C. Morris, all of this city.

Swept Over Niagara.  
This terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings, growing ripples and faster current—Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see Backache fly and all your best feelings return. "After long suffering from weak kidneys and large back, one \$1.00 bottle wisely cured me," writes J. E. Blankenship of Belk, Tenn. Only 50c at Osgood Bros.

SADDLE ROCK CAFE.  
Have you tried our 40c lunch? If not, it's time.



## RESIST ATTEMPTS TO SECURE LANDS

### Water Company's Claim of Title to Farms in Redwood Canyon Disputed

Formal notice was served on County Auditor Pierce just before his office closed last evening by Daniel S. Riley, administrator of the estate of the late E. L. Smith and John A. Roy that they will resist an attempt upon the part of the People's Water Company to secure title to land in Redwood and Cull canyons, which they lay claim to by the assumption of alleged delinquent taxes. This development indicates that the parties in possession of the twelve ranches which the company is seeking to get possession of in the section in the county have decided to resist deposition and resort to the courts to protect their interests. Several days ago the water company requested Auditor Pierce to compute the amount of back taxes on the properties, which in some instances are delinquent about twenty years, informing him that as it held a clear title to the land under an original grant from the Spanish government of Mexico, the company desired to clear up all delinquencies and take possession. The District Attorney had advised Pierce to execute the request of the water people and leave the question of title to be thrashed out by the courts between the company and the parties who are in possession.

#### Dispute Over Title

The ranches claim that the land in controversy is a part of the Sonoran, which is located along the Contra Costa boundary, or overlaps not included in grants made by the Spanish crown, and the title has never been settled. On the other hand, the water company contends that it is a part of the famous Sobrante grant, the boundaries of which were described as including all lands not previously transferred, and that the only right the present owners have to the property is a squatter's title. The company further claims that under the Sobrante grant the late Edison Adams secured title to all the lands in controversy. The People's Water Company succeeded in securing title. The well-known cattle family, however, had laid previous claim to the property, and the present holders are successors to the Castro title, if it is a title.

## WIFE DECLARES GINNO IS INSANE

### Dentist Is Taken Into Custody and Sent to the Receiving Hospital

On the complaint of his wife, Mrs. L. M. Ginno, that he was violently insane, Dr. John W. Ginno, a dentist of Berkeley, was arrested late yesterday afternoon and sent to the detention ward of the Receiving Hospital. Dr. Ginno, who is a graduate of the University of California, and who, previous to the firm in San Francisco had an extensive practice, has been suffering from in remittent attacks of mental trouble for the past three or four years. A short time ago he attacked a woman patient upon whom he was operating, and before he was overpowered had cut her severely with an instrument. He was living with his mother at the time, and his parents and friends had him sent to a private sanatorium. Dr. Ginno says that his husband has frequently of late threatened to kill her and then himself, and that his increasing violence has compelled her to take action.

## MOTHER-IN-LAW SHOOTS HER SON

### Man in Drunken Rage Was Trying to Kill Her After Hav- ing Attacked His Wife

PORTLAND, Ore., April 2.—As a sensational climax to what Mrs. Jess C. Moore charged was an attack upon her son and mother, Mrs. Moore, proprietor of a drug store in this city, was shot by Mrs. Amelia Wood, mother-in-law, and lies dangerously but not fatally injured at the Good Samaritan Hospital. From reports which Mrs. Moore gave her husband, it is understood that the mother-in-law, who was admitted on her mother's head, shot her son in the chest with a .38 Smith & Wesson revolver. Mrs. Wood was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital seriously hurt.

According to Mrs. Moore and others, who witnessed the shooting, Moore came home last night in an intoxicated condition and began to beat his wife. When the mother-in-law interfered, Moore turned upon and beat her. In what is alleged to be self-defense, Mrs. Wood shot her son in the chest with the bullet penetrating his right lung. Mrs. Wood was placed under arrest but when her condition was ascertained she was taken to the hospital.

## \$25,837 LEFT TO HEIRS BY BETTS

### Executor of Estate Files Petition in Court for Distribution of Estate

Percy George Betts, executor of the estate of the late William M. Betts, who died in Berkeley in June, 1907, has filed petition in the probate department of the Superior Court for settlement of the account and for final distribution of the estate. Attached to the document is a statement of the administrator, who is acting as the executor, showing the assets of the deceased, the heirs and the estate. The estate is valued at \$25,837 in real and personal property to be distributed among the heirs in accordance with the terms of the will. The administrator, who is acting as the executor, is Percy George Betts, who is the son of the deceased. The heirs are the widow, Grace Ella Betts, the daughter, Emily Betts, the wife of Percy George Betts, and the sons, Howard and William Macdonald, minor grandchildren of the deceased.

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Popular Prices

Eleventh and Washington Streets

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Popular Prices

Hale's

# With Easter One Week Away We Offer 6000 Bunches of Flowers to Women Who Trim Their Own Hats

A new express shipment and the largest sale before Easter. Over 1500 handsome Trimmed Hats will also be shown tomorrow.

## None of these Flowers have been offered before

They will be shown in the new Basement Department.

Tomorrow marks the banner day of the millinery season in Oakland for the woman who trims her own hats. At that time we will place on sale over 6000 bunches of flowers comprising a shipment received this week from New York, and which have not been shown before. Our sale of flowers held last week was a tremendously popular one, and our stock at that time was practically exhausted. You who attended the first sale will realize the importance of tomorrow's sale when we tell you that we will exceed the first sale in every way—assortments, beauty of the flowers and in value giving. It is not long until Easter—you who intend to trim your own hats must buy during the next few days. Take advantage then of a sale of new goods, as yet untouched until you see them tomorrow.

## 1500 Trimmed Hats from \$1.95 to \$10 Gives Every Woman An Opportunity to Select the Correct Hat for Herself at the Price She Cares to Pay

Over 1500 hats will be on display in the department tomorrow, offering a range of selection which is seldom found in Oakland. Some are from our own workrooms, modeled after late styles received from New York and Paris, and others are direct shipments from New York.



At no time during the season has the department been better fitted to serve you, no matter what style you wish or what price you care to pay.



## Untrimmed Hat Shapes Basement.

Hundreds of Spring shapes in all the popular colors, including gold, Tuscan, copper, steel, navy, green, brown, old rose, navy and plenty of black and white. Shapes at 75c, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.50 and up to \$3.50. Leghorns in black and white at 85c, 95c, \$1.25 up to \$3.00.

Jet Hats at \$1.49, Regular \$3.00 Values—All New Shapes—Large Assortment

## Sample Line of Children's Coats for Easter—Almost 1/2 Off

No two garments alike, but fresh new goods—in all colors.



The Baby Shop—which has won a tremendous popularity with every mother—has received from New York a sample line of children's cloth coats and reefer, and this means that in all the great variety you will find no two articles alike. The workmanship is all that one could desire, the styles are up-to-date, and every coat shows a simplicity which detracts not a whit from its dainty freshness, but means less frills to get disordered in children's clothes—an essential which means much after the coat has been worn for some time.

The colors include tans, grays, old rose, red, navy, cadet, reseda, smoke, Copenhagen, cream tobacco, light blue and fancy stripes.

The prices are far lower than we ourselves have sold such garments for in the past, and as a sample line we dare not hope to equal these prices again this season.

Here they are:  
Coats worth \$4.00 to \$5.00 at \$2.75  
Coats worth \$5.50 to \$6.00 at \$3.75  
Coats worth \$6.50 to \$7.50 at \$4.75  
Coats worth \$8.00 to \$8.50 at \$5.75  
Coats worth \$9.00 to \$10.00 at \$6.75

## Notions for the Housewife

Safety Markers, 25c.  
Dress Shields, nainsook covered, 10c; silk covered, 15c.  
Flat Iron Polishing Mitts, 5c.  
Flat Iron Holders, 5c.  
Basting Cotton, 100 yards, 3 spools for 5c; 500 yards, 5c spool.  
Roll Tape, all sizes, 3 for 5c.

Brass Pins, 350 to paper, 3c.  
Darning Cotton, 3 for 5c.  
Machine Cotton, 200 yards, 6 for 25c.  
Wire Hairpins, cabinets, 25c.  
Stick-Patch, men's stockings, 20 patches for 10c.  
Aluminum Thinblades, 10c dozen.

## Women's Wool Sweaters

\$1.95 Each

Think of buying a fine all-wool sweater for \$1.95. This is very unusual of course, but while in New York our buyer purchased a great quantity for our stores and by paying cash took advantage of a big bargain, which we in turn give to you, hence this exceptional sale. Some are the double breasted effects. Colors are red, white and gray.

## Among Easter Suits These \$22.50 Models Stand Out Prominently

A new addition to our Stock of Suits which is now large and complete.

Another lot of our \$22.50 suits has just been received, the assortment consisting of French Serge, in rose, green, navy and white, fancy Prunella, in tan, green, Copenhagen and black, fancy weave Worsteds, in gray, green and black, Bedford Cord in blue, wistaria and black. These suits will be given their first showing tomorrow and form a strong and welcome Easter offering.

### Easter Suits

Day by day our Spring and Easter suits have been arriving, until now we have on hand a comprehensive line of beautiful Spring suits from New York ranging in price as follows:

Cloth Suits, \$18.75, \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50, \$30.00 and \$35.00.  
Silk Suits, \$15.00, \$18.75 and \$22.50.

### Our Prices Remain the Same

"The present state of the market and the pronounced signs regarding future developments will undoubtedly lead to a very marked advance in prices, both of fabrics and of garments. Thoughtful retailers, therefore, will take immediate steps to insure future profits by asking a higher figure for such goods as they may be able to secure for the present season."—Trade Report.

Good Goods  
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## Snowy Linens Add

### Dignity to the Table Service

And here are listed good things you can obtain at slight expense, but which will do much to add to the attractiveness of your table.

Bleached Mercerized Pattern Cloths, 95c each; with border all around, hemmed, ready for use. Size 60x64 inches, 95c each. 60x82 inches, \$1.20 each.  
Bleached Mercerized Napkins, \$1.05 dozen; in a variety of neat patterns, fast selvedge, to be hemmed on two sides only, size 20x20 inches, 85c dozen, 22x22 inches \$1.05 dozen, 24x24 inches, \$1.25 dozen.  
Bleached, Mercerized Damask, 40c yard; 58 inches wide in a variety of neat patterns, 40c yard.  
Bleached, Mercerized Damask, 50c yard; 64 inches wide, that will wash and wear like linen, 50c yard, 72 inches wide, 60c yard.  
Bleached, Mercerized Damask; extra weight and finish, German make, satin finish, 58 inches wide, 65c yard.  
Napkins to match, size 22x22 inches, \$1.75 dozen.  
Bleached Table Damask, 75c yard; 72 inches wide, all linen, splendid value, 75c yard.  
Bleached Table Linen, 95c yard; 3 yards wide, a heavy double damask, extra weight, close, satin finish, 95c yard.  
Napkins to match, size 24x24 inches, \$3.00 dozen.

## Go-Carts and 4-Ball Croquet Sets

Three-quarter size Go-Cart, \$13.95; hood top, with reclining back and read dash; which can be adjusted separately, nicely upholstered cushion with hood, well padded and lined to match heavy double springs; gear enameled green, rubber tires, foot brake; this is a cart baby can sleep in. Special, \$13.95.  
Four-ball Croquet Set, 75c; 5-inch mallets, long handle, striped balls, nicely varnished galvanized arches and book of instructions with each set.

## Roller Skates—Folding Lawn Swings

600 Sidewalk Roller Skates, 35c pair; for boys and girls, extension leather ankle supporter, wooden wheels, can be made to fit any size shoe, special, 35c pair.  
Folding Lawn Swings, \$6.50 and \$12.00 each; made of selected hardwood, joints secured by means of bolts or rivets; thoroughly braced to form a rigid and safe support, natural wood, to seat two, \$6.50, one large enough for four people, \$12.00.

Have You Seen Our Spring Trimmings

Hale's  
GOOD GOODS

## For 25c You Can Get a Dainty White Apron

A really well made one that usually has a 35c or 40c price mark on it—and a large number of styles.

Other Aprons at 35c, 39c and 50c

Children's Aprons, Embroidered Bibs and Bretelles, Plain and Fancy Styles.



Divided Into Four Selling Lots at 25c, 35c, 39c and 50c

### Women's, Misses and Children's Aprons.

At 25c, Aprons of fine lawn, embroidered bib and lawn bretelles.  
At 25c, Aprons with embroidery bib and bretelles.  
At 25c, Aprons with lawn bretelles and embroidered bib.  
At 25c, Aprons, large plain waist style, with pocket.  
At 25c, Aprons in large special lot, containing many styles, round, square and bretelle.  
At 25c, Children's Aprons, assorted to 6 years.

### Women's and Misses' Aprons.

35c Aprons; in bretelle style, embroidery trimmed.  
35c Aprons; in waist style, with tucks.  
35c Aprons; in a beautiful assorted lot of fine lawn bretelle styles.

### Three Unusual Values.

50c—Nurses' Red Cross Apron, made of good quality muslin, extra long and wide, with

separate straps; Red Cross emblem worked on belt; made especially for hospital use. Price 50c.  
50c—Ladies' White Lawn Aprons, waist of Bretelle, some with tucks, others trimmed with fine and dainty embroidery, made of extra fine lawn.  
Women's White Lawn Tea Aprons, circular in shape, with embroidered bib and bretelles, wide strings. A 75c quality at 39c each.

Bretelle Waist, Round, Waitress, Tea and Nurse Aprons.

## Easter Ribbons

### For Every Ribbon Want

Almost every known variety of ribbon may be found at this sale, which is for the benefit of the Easter shopper.

Dainty Dresdens, plaids, checks, stripes and Persians, in the latest colorings. Satins and messalines for millinery purposes, also hairbow taffetas—in short, everything that appeals to ribbon buyers at most attractive prices.

4 and 5-inch Dresdens, 19c Yard.  
Pink, blue, lilac and cornflower designs, with border to match.

5-inch More and Plain Taffetas, 19c Yard.

In shades of pink, blue, lilac, corn color, wood brown, brown, navy, Nile, champagne, cardinal, white, cream and black.

4-inch Satin Ribbon, 20c Yard.

High lustrous finish, good weight; in shades of blue, lilac, pink, old rose, brown, navy, cardinal, Nile green, white, cream and black.

4-inch Dresdens, 22c Yard.

Fine silk body; many different designs; pink, blue, lilac and corn color flowers, with satin edges to match.

7-inch Taffetas, 25c Yard.

Regular 40c grade, in shades of pink, blue, Alice, navy, brown, cardinal, old rose, white, cream and black.

5-inch Fancy Ribbons, 25c Yard.

Comprising a most complete assortment of stripes, checks, Persians and Dresdens; in most desirable patterns and colorings. Values up to 40c yard.

6-inch Messalines, 25c Yard.

An ever popular millinery ribbon; in latest shades of wistaria, lilac, sapphire blue, Alice, navy, brown, champagne, green, cardinal, garnet, pink, blue, white, cream and black.

5-inch Satins, 25c Yard.

Firm weave; bright finish ribbon; for millinery bows and trimming purposes; very popular this season on account of its rich appearance. May be had in the same shades as the messalines.

Have You Dined in the Louis XIV Grill?

Hale's  
GOOD GOODS

Oakland—Eleventh and Washington Streets—Oakland



# HEART—TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN—HOME

## Olive Logan, Once Famous AS AN AUTHOR, IS PENNILESS IN LONDON

NEW YORK, April 2.—Olive Logan, once famous in this country as an author, actress and lecturer, is a pauper in an asylum at Ighite, England, according to the World today. The news came out through Lady Cook (Tennessee Claflin), who sailed for London Saturday afternoon to see her in this country. After her return in this country Olive Logan went abroad, assisted by Lady Cook, and it was supposed she was leading a quiet, retired life. What her real predicament was, however, is described by Lady Cook, who is quoted as saying before she sailed:

"I was notified two months ago that she had become violently insane and that the authorities had removed her to Bannstead. I returned to London and hastened to Bannstead, where the physicians told me that Mrs. Logan was suffering from a severe form of senile dementia. They said she must be detained in the asylum unless I agreed to furnish bonds and otherwise guarantee that she would not harm others or herself. It was impossible for me to undertake such a responsibility and I decided it was best that she remain under treatment."

## O! Women, Is It True That Your Hair Is False?

NEW YORK.—The Rev. Charles E. Jefferson of the Broadway Tabernacle is bravely fighting for the man behind the hat. Last Sunday twenty inverted peach and cherry baskets deposited in as many laps during the morning service testified to the merits of Dr. Jefferson's verbal marksmanship.

This is just the beginning, and before the year is over Dr. Jefferson expects to have engaged in combat with every hat of unusual dimensions in his congregation, and to have won.

According to Dr. Jefferson, stout allies of the big hat which must be met as puffs, rats and false hair, which form an important part in up-to-date coiffures. But Dr. Jefferson, though fearless, is diplomatic. He does not order the hats off peremptorily as did Cortland Meyers of the Baptist Temple, Brooklyn.

In his annual address Dr. Jefferson intimated that St. Paul had lacked imagination to see what the future had in store when he said that women dishonored their heads if they prayed uncovered. He prophesied that the movement was bound

to grow, and said it was being so universally adopted by younger church-goers that soon to wear a hat in church would be a confession of age. The next Sunday nine women testified to their youthfulness by removing their hats.

Still the result was not all satisfactory, so Dr. Jefferson let it be known that, in his opinion, women keep their hats on in church because they are afraid of losing some essential part of their coiffures.

"Dr. Meyers," said Dr. Jefferson, "did not have so much to contend with, as his congregation is chiefly middle class, and the women of the middle class are not as profuse in their use of artificial hair as the women in higher grades of society."

"I believe the movement will spread throughout the country as it has in New England, but I think New York will be the last place where whole congregations will be bare-headed, because New York is the best market in the world for false hair and other artificial aids to beauty. And in New York the Fifth Avenue churches will be the last to accept the reform for this same reason."

## Little Alice Solves Robbery for Sleuths

NEW YORK.—Two-year-old Alice Harschuh helped a couple of Central Office detectives to solve a robbery last night when they were all at sea. She is the daughter of Adolph Harschuh, a plumber, who lives at 1303 East Twelfth street.

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. Harschuh had to go to court as a witness, and she left Alice in charge of Mrs. Georgiana Doyle, 17 years old, of 266 First avenue. She didn't know Mrs. Doyle very well, but there was no one else to take care of the baby and Mrs. Doyle was willing.

That evening Harschuh looked for his

gold watch and chain on a shelf over his bed. It was not there nor anywhere in the flat. The police were notified, but they made no headway, so yesterday afternoon Mrs. Harschuh went to police headquarters. Detectives Werzansky and Unger were put on the case.

They questioned Mr. and Mrs. Harschuh and their two older children without getting a clue, and at last Detective Unger picked up little Alice, put her on his knee and playfully asked her what she knew about it.

"Sure, I know who took papa's watch and chain," lied little Alice, and then she told how she saw Mrs. Doyle take it from the shelf and conceal it in her stocking last Saturday afternoon. The wee girl illustrated in pantomime how it had been done.

The detectives went to the home of Mrs. Doyle, in First avenue, and arrested her and her husband, William, who is only 19 years old. When Doyle was searched a pawn ticket for the watch was found in his pocket. He had obtained \$25 on it. Mrs. Doyle broke down and confessed the theft.

## Six Married Women, Some of Them Mothers, Get College Degree

NEW YORK, April 2.—Six married women, several of whom are mothers, are among the twenty-seven graduates who received diplomas last evening after completing the law course in New York University.

## Men Do Not Throw Kisses Gracefully

CHICAGO, April 2.—Professor Frederick Starr of the University of Chicago, who attracted attention recently by a prophecy that former President Roosevelt would never return alive from Africa, has again come into public notice, this time as an exponent of the fine art of kissing.

"Young men of this country do not know how to throw a kiss gracefully," he says in a lecture prepared for students on Mexico today. "It takes a young Mexican to perform the act gracefully."

"He brings the tips of his fingers together, touches them gently with his lips and, spreading his hand out as he makes the throw, wafts five sweet kisses to his lady love by five different routes."

## RESIGNATION

Should the lone wanderer, fainting on his way,  
Rest for a moment of the sultry hours,  
And though his path through thorns and  
roughness lay,  
Pluck he wild rose or woodbine's gadding  
flowers,  
Weaving gay wreaths beneath some  
sheltering tree,  
The sense of sorrow he awhile may lose;  
No have I sought thy flowers, fair Poesy!  
So charmed my way with friendship and  
the muses,  
But darker now grows life's unhappy  
day,  
Dark with new clouds of evil yet to  
come;  
Mer pent sickening Fancy throws away,  
And weary Hope reclines upon the  
sands,  
And points my wishes to that tranquil  
shore,  
Where the pale specter Grief pursues no  
more.

CHARLOTTE SMITH (1749-1806).

## Crown Prince and Princess of Sweden, and Son and Heir, in Royal Palace, Stockholm



The Royal household of Sweden has something of a patriarchal aspect, for the King and Queen and the Crown Prince and Princess (nee Princess Margaret of Connaught) all live under the roof of the Royal Palace, in the center of the city of Stockholm, one wing of the building being occupied by Prince Oscar's menage. Here the above interesting photograph, showing their Royal Highnesses and their little son, Prince Gustavus Adolphus, who is now three years old, was taken. The picture, a charming peep into the home-life of the Swedish Royal family, typifies the simplicity of the popular young couple, who will some day share the throne. Both Prince and Princess are enthusiastically devoted to sport.

## Father Is Not the Absolute Boss OF THE HOME, SAYS JUDGE

NEW YORK.—That the father of a family is no longer its lord and master is the decision of Justice Platzek in a case which is peculiar for the reason that it is the first time that a court has been called upon to decide the question of parental authority as between husband and wife, where there is no separation or divorce.

Arthur F. Williamson, secretary of the New Jersey Steel Company, in Rahway, quarreled with his wife and declared he was going to do as he pleased. He informed his wife that he intended to place their three children in a boarding school and break up their home at 512 Jefferson avenue, Elizabeth, N. J.

On February 9 Rose, the 7-year-old

daughter of the Williamson, was taken to the Elizabeth Hospital to have an operation performed for adenoids. On February 14 Mr. Williamson removed the little girl from the hospital and took her to the school of the Misses Metcalf at Tarrytown, N. Y.

Then Mrs. Williamson came to New York and consulted Charles F. Thumm, a lawyer of 60 Wall street. Mr. Thumm procured a writ of habeas corpus from Justice Platzek requiring the Misses Metcalf to bring Rose within the jurisdiction of the court.

## Fair Co-Eds From Cornell Are Studying New York

NEW YORK, April 2.—Ten young women students from Cornell University, commonly known as co-eds, are due to arrive here tomorrow to spend their Easter vacation studying conditions on the East Side. They will be in charge of Professor Frank Fatter and will be accompanied, in addition, by ten male students. The girls comprise half of the class in philanthropy. They will visit Kindall's Blackwells and Ellis Islands, the various penitentiaries, insane asylums, several hospitals and other charitable institutions.

## It Just Rained Teddy Bears For Children

NEW YORK, April 2.—"Billy Possum" will be interested to know that several dozen "Teddy bears" pelted in a fire which swept through a factory in Wooster street last night. Hundreds of the fuzzy little creatures were saved, however, and children in the neighborhood were wildly excited at the bears were tossed into the street by firemen. The police had a hard time keeping the youngsters back. As it was, many "Teddy bears" find themselves in strange hands today.

## Modern Plans to Stop Husbands Playing Poker

BAYONNE, N. J., April 2.—In an effort to keep their husbands from playing poker and other games of chance, wives in a section of this city have organized the "Bayonne Women's Anti-Gambling Society." They conducted their first raid yesterday and succeeded in obtaining enough evidence to cause the arrest of a saloonkeeper, who was held in \$500 bail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

## Quarter of a Billion Dollars of Society Girls Dance in Tights To Keep Out the Y. M. C. A.

PITTSBURGH, April 2.—At Carnegie Music Hall last evening there was given a public exhibition of dancing and pantomime by the daughters of the very rich of Pittsburgh. It was of the benefit of the Y. M. C. A., and it is estimated that the wealth of the daughters of the young women who appeared in tights, slant skirts and other paraphernalia for striking pantomime was not less than \$250,000,000.

Marriage has depleted the ranks of the former famous half-billion dollar chorus which created such a furore last fall, but there were still a good half hundred of the most beautiful and richest girls of Pittsburgh.

Among those on the programme were Miss Helen Erick, Miss Virginia French, daughter of the personal representative of Andrew Carnegie, and whose coming marriage has just been announced; Electa and Florence Harper, daughters of John Harper; Mrs. Hubert Laughlin, who was Miss Ren, of the recent half-billion-dollar chorus, and whose engagement was announced from the stage at that time, the Misses Irwin, Painter, Pennings and McClelland.

## San Francisco Woman Is Owner of \$4000 Pearl Necklace Found in Store

NEW YORK, April 2.—A \$4000 pearl necklace is locked in the safe of a big Broadway department store today awaiting identification by the owner. It was picked up on the floor of the store yesterday and is supposed to be the property of Mrs. Marjorie Schaeffer, wife of a wholesale merchant of San Francisco. Mrs. Schaeffer lost the pearl necklace while shopping and visited the store where the jewels were found. She is confident that the necklace is hers, but was unable to establish a complete claim before the store closed yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Schaeffer with their children have just returned from Europe and stopped in the city before proceeding to the coast.

## Chicago's Women Clubs Have Started Getting Generally Signed Petition From All Over Country Against the Tariff Bill

CHICAGO, April 2.—Shopping Chicago has affixed its name to the petition devised by the League of Cook County Women's Clubs to prevent the passage of the proposed Payne tariff bill to the extent of votes to 100,000 signatures, with more to follow.

"Shopping stations" have been established in many of the large stores and crowds have flocked to them. Extra stations have been arranged on upper floors of some stores.

The enthusiasm is not confined to Chicago. Petitioners are coming in from every direct on

and are referred to Mrs. Nathan B. Lewis at headquarters. These queries are for information as to how the campaign launched in Chicago is to be carried out in several districts.

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## Rather go to Prison Than Pay \$1000 Alimony to Wife Who Has Divorced Him

Says Noted Sculptor Whose  
Second Wife is a California Woman

NEW YORK, April 2.—Rather than pay \$1000 alimony to his wife as ordered by the court, Roland Perry, a sculptor and painter well known in this country and abroad, declared that he would surrender himself to the sheriff's custody and spend six months in Ludlow street jail. Since his first wife, who demanded the alimony, Perry has married again. His second wife was Mrs. May Han of San Diego, Cal.

According to the law, regulating divorce, six months is the limit of a wife or ex-wife can demand for non-payment of alimony awarded by a court. Afterwards, however, she can bring a civil suit.

## Learned Whole Chapter of Bible Backwards

CHICAGO, April 2.—"Learn a whole chapter from the Bible so that you can say it backwards and I'll give you a dollar, mother," said Edward Field of a street recently when he learned that a ladies' aid society had arranged an exercise social to forward its missionary work.

"Done," said his mother, Mrs. Maria Field. "I'll begin at once," and last night at the social she was the heroine of the hour after she recited off verse after verse backward.

## Woman Is Appointed as Game Warden

BUTTE, Mont.—State Game Warden Henry Ayars, in accordance with a resolution passed by the last Legislature, has appointed Mrs. Charles Peyton, widow of Deputy Game Warden Charles Peyton, who was killed in the discharge of his duty, to be a deputy warden at a salary of \$125 a month. She will be entitled to serve four years.

Mrs. Peyton resides in Hamilton. The action of the Legislature was brought about by a desire to aid the widow and orphans of the game warden who was killed last fall by Indians.

Senator Romney of Ravalli county was one of the most energetic workers in Mrs. Peyton's behalf. He introduced a bill providing \$5000 for the relief of her and her children. The bill passed the Senate, but in the house some question as to its constitutionality was raised, although the House members were eager to help the good work along. It finally was decided to introduce and pass the resolution providing four years' employment for Mrs. Peyton.

## Suffragettes Are Sent to Prison

LONDON, April 2.—Nine of the militant female Suffragettes, who were arrested Wednesday afternoon while attempting to force an entrance into the House of Commons, were arraigned in the Bow street police court yesterday and sent by the magistrate to join their sisters in jail for one month. All refused to give sureties for their good behavior.

## The Spinster's Prayer

From every sin so far, I've been  
Protected, Lord, by thee!  
Saved by thy grace there is no trace  
Of wickedness in me.  
Now give, I pray, the strength to keep  
A righteous gap to span,  
And bring me near that heavenly  
Of perfect bliss! A-men.

—TOWNS

## Famous Blind Author of "Safe in the Arms of Jesus"



MISS FANNY CROSBY, the Blind Author.

Miss Crosby, who has been blind almost from her birth, was born in Southwestern New York. She was a pupil in the New York Institute of the Blind and for some time a teacher there.

Fanny Crosby won fame as a hymn writer, some of her hymns being known almost the world over. She has written hundreds of sacred songs, the best-known

being "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," "Saved by Grace" and "Rescue the Perishing."

Miss Crosby is still active and wrote a special hymn in honor of her birthday which was set to amateur music and sung in the First Methodist Church on the evening of the occasion for which it was composed.

## The Sporting Wedding



The marriage of Miss Violet Brocklebank, the daughter of Sir Thomas Brocklebank, the well-known Liverpool merchant, and Mr. George Westinghouse, son of the inventor of the famous air-brake bearing his name, took place on Thursday week at Irton, Cumberland. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Westinghouse were driven in a coach and four by Miss Sylvia Brocklebank, the bride's sister, who is well known as a lover of coaching. The bridegroom's heir to a fortune of some ten millions sterling.



# Rally of the Chamber of Commerce Is Called

## E. B. BULL, WORKER FOR CITY, TALKS PROSPERITY

Rotary Club and "Ad" Men Join the "Boosters' Table" at Luncheon.

All staff officers, captains and privates are requested to rally at the Chamber of Commerce at 8 o'clock tonight, for general reports and consultation.

I. HARRISON CLAY, Commander-in-Chief.

EVERY staff officer, captain, lieutenant and private working to secure additional members in the Chamber of Commerce is expected to attend the meeting of the Progress and Prosperity Committee, to be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce tonight.

There have been several reassignments of captains, and it is the intention of the committee to make a grand membership rally Saturday, April 3. The "absence" and "excuse" have been eliminated from the dictionary of the Progress and Prosperity Committee so far as the evening's meeting is concerned.

The following reassignments of staff officers and captains have been made: R. S. Kitchener from District 4 to District 6; B. J. Miller from District 7 to District 5; E. G. Ryker from District 1 to District 6; Captains D. E. Perkins to 6 from 1, T. C. Booth to 5 from 1, W. V. Harrington to 5 from 1, E. P. Cook to 5 from 1, J. J. Hughes to 5 from 1, W. E. Reed to 5 from 2, T. J. Hayden to 5 from 2, Leo R. Well to 5 from 2, W. B. Fawcett to 5, W. H. Hubbard to 5 from 3, Carl Nickel to 5 from 3, F. F. Porter to 6; H. P. Dalton to 6 from 3, C. F. Gorman to 6 from 3, W. B. King to 6 from 3, R. A. Lancaster to 6 from 3, E. E. Layman to 6 from 3, and A. R. Mitchell to 5 from 6.

**Sends Out Applications**  
Captain F. W. Bilger mailed to eight hundred residents of the Fifth ward reassignment blanks, enclosing therewith application blanks, and if already a member of the Chamber of Commerce, a stamped, addressed envelope, in each letter. This is a sample of how some of the members of the Chamber of Commerce, who are cognizant of the good work being accomplished, are working for the interest of Oakland.

Both the Tri-City Rotary Club and the Oakland Ad Club held their luncheons at the St. Mark grill today, and, in addition to the regular Chamber of Commerce

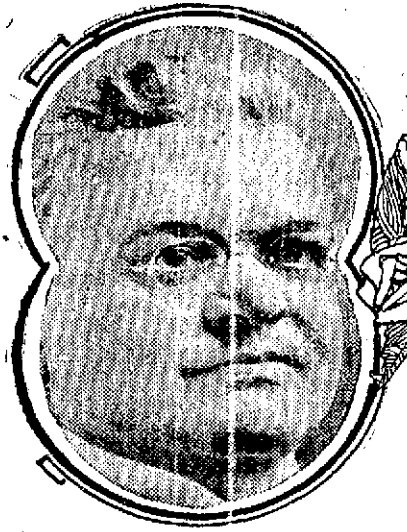
merc "Boosters," table, some 300 men with the official campaign badges floating on their smartly tailored business coats, gathered to pay homage to Greater Oakland around the long tables. Speeches were made by many of the city's representative men, and "let's build up Oakland until she reaches her rightful position—at the head of the West" was the theme of the short ten-minute talks.

E. B. Bull, one of the organizers of the Progress and Prosperity Committee, that courageous little band of men who have, and are, doing more to help Oakland than all of the other commercial bodies put together, and a man who, by his individual and indefatigable efforts, has done much to increase the Chamber of Commerce membership, is talking "Oakland" today with his usual enthusiasm.

"It is impossible to estimate our advantages here," declares Bull. "Oakland is the natural logical western railroad terminal city of the continent of North America. This is the place where rail meets ship—where the flatcar can run down to the water's edge from an overland trip without man-handling of freight and the incidental expenses of ferrage and drayage that in the end the consumer pays for."

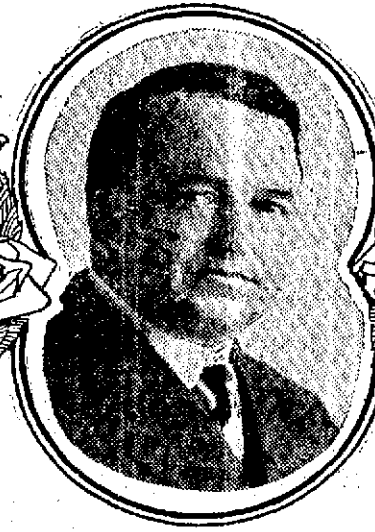
"The Chamber of Commerce is now organizing the business community into a compact, aggressive force for progress. Every citizen with a spark of public spirit in him should enlist in the movement and become an active part in it—be a builder as well as a booster. Help and encouragement should be extended to an effort of so much material and moral consequence to the city. Its organization, enthusiasm and collective energy, the collection of a common interest and the impulse of united effort, are what we need. Also a more militant brand of civic pride, a more optimistic faith in our municipal destiny. This is what the Chamber of Commerce is striving to give us. It is striving to get Oaklanders together to stand up and work for Oakland, to love Oakland and talk Oakland, no matter where they are or in what company they may be cast. While it is making the advantages and beauties of the city known abroad, it is laboring to arouse and mobilize dormant patriotism at home; it is trying to change indifference into enthusiasm, inertia into energy, barnacles into boomers. It is inspiring the community with hope, push, snap and go, stimulating the factors which make for progress and the bustle of real business."

"Everybody should get in and help. Lend a hand—both hands, if necessary—to the Chamber of Commerce's movement. It is



DR. E. E. BAKER.

—Bushnell Photo.



E. B. BULL.

—Stewart Photo.



CHARLES R. COLE.

—Arrowsmith Photo.

for the good of everybody. It means work for the idle, interest for the indolent, and business for those who deserve it. It means a bigger, better, cleaner, happier, some city, and a higher quality of citizenship."

"Increase in population and the flow of prosperity in a city depend upon its commercial progress, and commercial progress in turn depends upon commercial organization. When our Chamber of Commerce has a membership of 5000, then I say that the world will turn this way. The Legislature will listen to the voice of power. With such an organization we will go forward rapidly, step by step, and with the improvement of our water front we will have thirty feet of water at low tide on the water front. And then we can say to the great ships that come across the sea: 'Come in. The water's fine.'"

"No higher purpose can animate the people of Oakland than the securing of such a grand harbor. On this side of the bay there is no movement to 'bring ship and car together.' We must work along the line of least resistance, and Oakland will become a better city. This place will grow until it will use the resources of San Francisco, for we have here the power to supply facilities that San Francisco has never supplied and probably never shall, by canal, ship and car. When that is done then all things shall be given unto us."

"I hope that every man here will make it his business to induce some man to join the Chamber of Commerce. Numbers mean power. The shopkeeper, the storekeeper, the business man, the school teacher—all should enter into the movement. It is the duty of every citizen of this city to be interested in increasing the power of this Chamber of Commerce."

Applications presented to the Staff Officers by their Captains today:

A. J. Larson, George R. Read, R. D. Maplesden, Geo. A. Hall, C. J. Moore, Owen Short, J. C. Guidry, J. W. Leland, Wing Chung Lung, Robt. B. Gaylord, Jas. N. Jenkins, Jr., J. H. Barker, S. H. Jada, H. J. Knapp, H. E. Hodgess, J. C. Twomey, Arnold Powell, A. Hargis, J. L. Wilson, E. O. Kunes, Harry Sharp, M. D. McGinness, Edwin H. Mayor, H. J. Roelker, Dr. B. Schmitt, P. G. Grogan, Robert Flood, J. McLeod, C. H. Wentz, M. Glickman, H. J. Muller, Dr. A. J. McFarlin, Lucius Lundquist, E. Walter, J. E. McArthur, John Thomas, J. Ray Bennett, J. Carl Sautberger, Delbert Briggs, John J. Smith, Chas. S. Kienigberg, Dr. A. J. McFarlin, C. M. Saffridge, M.D., G. I. Seannell, J. E. McArthur, Alfred A. Scott, H. Gonzales, Capt. J. E. McKinnon, Caddy J. Trowbridge, Louis L. Arena, Chas. Miller, W. E. Brockman, Wm. H. Geary, Al Corda, Fred Sautberger, E. D. Burr, Johnson & Loring, The Shasta May, Blossom Corper Co., Frank L. Rawson, B. J. Schaffert, D.D.S., John A. Kendall.

## LIBERATED THEN AGAIN ARRESTED

\$250 Bail Too Small Says Judge and He Raises Sum to \$2500

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—William Corbin, one of the men arrested Sunday on the grand larceny charge, sworn to by Special Agent Burns, appearing before Judge Deane today, was released when his attorney, W. E. Williams, placed with Bond and Warrant Clerk Houlahan \$250. When the release of Corbin on this sum was called to the attention of Police Judge Deane, the latter immediately issued a bench warrant for the rearrest of the man, claiming that \$250 was too small a bail for the prisoner. Corbin is now back in the city prison.

Some misunderstanding relative to the bail of the defendant existed, but all arguments were set aside this morning when Police Judge Deane fixed the bond at \$2500.

The Honest Proprietary Medicine fills a national need in the land and it will take more than the cry of "fraud" and "fake" from the wavering, over-reaching physician to overthrow an honest, reliable and standard preparation like Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made from the roots and herbs of the field, and has cured more women of female ills than any other remedy we know of.

## EXPRESSES THANKS TO TRIBUNE

W. E. Dangle, Prop'r.  
Oakland Tribune,  
Oakland, Cal.

Dear Sir:

We wish to thank you for the splendid support you are giving the Chamber of Commerce, and particularly for the liberal offer you have made in donating \$500.00 in prizes to those who succeed in getting the most new members. At a special meeting held today it was our pleasure to appoint you Major-General upon the staff of Commander-in-Chief Clay and to put you and your paper in complete charge of all the workers who desire to take advantage of THE TRIBUNE'S magnificent offer. We would suggest that you stipulate that all contestants for the prizes you offer turn their names and their collections into THE TRIBUNE direct, and that no contestants for your prizes be considered unless they turn their names in to THE TRIBUNE.

Again thanking you for the liberal public spirit that your great paper has always shown and assuring you of the co-operation of all the workers for the Chamber of Commerce, we remain,

Very respectfully,

I. H. CLAY,  
Commander-in-Chief.

(Signed) EDWIN STEARNS, Adjutant.

## WILL START WAR ON ALL GREEK LETTER FRATERNITIES

## DRASTIC RULES SET DOWN BY BOARD

Fight Over New Law Passed by Legislature Will Go to Courts

RESOLUTIONS DRAWN UP BY W. H. DONAHUE

Members of Orders in High Schools May Ignore All Demands

The warfare between the superintendent of schools office and the Greek letter fraternities, which has been threatening since the passage of the anti-fraternity bill by the Legislature, was brought into the open with a clash of arms at the first meeting of the new Board of Education last night. At the opening of the meeting the board, by unanimous vote, adopted drastic resolutions, enforcement of which means the extermination of the high school fraternities and the upholding of the anti-fraternity law.

Bertrand L. York, representing the special anti-legislation alumni committee of the Phi Sigma fraternity, and Edward A. Cunha of the firm of Welman, Wood & Cunha, who have been retained to take the case into the courts, were at the meeting, as well as representatives of the other fraternities with chapters in the Oakland high school. They did not make any fight in the board, as they said that they would go at once to the courts.

"It is our opinion that the anti-fraternity law as passed by the Legislature is unconstitutional," declared York, in stating the stand the students are going to take in defending the existence of their societies. "It is our belief that the Board of Education in this city is not acting wisely in passing such a stringent resolution as the one just recorded. We are going to fight on this ground. If the law is declared constitutional the Phi Sigma fraternity will be withdrawn."

The Phi Sigma fraternity has called a general meeting of all the Greek societies on the Pacific Coast to be held in San Francisco at a date yet to be determined. The purpose of the meeting is to propose to form a permanent legislative committee, composed of one member from each fraternity and sorority. The plan calls for a committee to meet at measures calculated to abolish fraternities and sororities in the public schools whether secondary or higher.

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Best men's shoes on the coast; all styles. **\$2.50**  
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## Big 6 Sox

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**\$1.00 for 6**

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1234 Broadway,

Just Below Ye Liberty Theater

## EVERY GOOD CITIZEN INTERESTED

Patriotism for Greater Oakland Will Swell Population Figures.

Since THE TRIBUNE made the announcement concerning the \$500 in prizes to the industrious ones of Oakland who will assist in swelling the grand total of membership of the Chamber of Commerce numerous inquiries have been made here about the plan.

Names of the employees of the large corporations who desire to take a fine outing to Seattle, Los Angeles or Yosemite valley, and haven't the large amount of money needed to take such trip are getting to work among their fellow workers and friends to line them up for membership.

Every property owner in Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda is vitally interested in the welfare of the Chamber of Commerce. Thousands of people are coming to the coast this summer to attend the Seattle Fair, and but few will come by Oakland unless the Chamber of Commerce advertises in the leading magazines in the East. To do this we must have money. Each new member adds that much more revenue for booklet advertising. Los Angeles expends \$50,000 a year. Oakland has never all told spent \$25,000. Don't forget the fine prizes THE TRIBUNE is offering, and get busy among your friends.

was quoted and the direct order given that it must be obeyed strictly.

## Liability to Suspension

Any pupil who joins a secret, oath-bound society, whether it is connected with the school or not, is liable to suspension or expulsion, the new rule of the board of education declares. Any pupil who continues a member of such organization after April 30 of this year may be visited with the same penalties.

Furthermore, any pupil, whether a member or not, who takes part in or attends a meeting or caucus of fraternity members, composed in whole or in part of pupils, is subject to the loss of all privileges except to attend classes and

graduate. No such pupil may take part in athletics, journalism or debating, and is to be denied recommendation for admission to the University of California without examination.

The board directed that the resolutions be read to every pupil in the high schools.

Time tries everything—you come pretty near getting two dollars for one at H. Schellhaas' Furniture Sale, entrance 11th and Franklin sts.

**SADDLE ROCK CAFE.**

Have you tried our 40c lunch? If not, it's time.

**Washington Market**  
J. H. LESSER  
Cor. 9th & Washington—OAKLAND

## OUR "BIG 12" FOR SATURDAY on the Best Quality of Meats on the Market

<b>SPECIAL NO. 1</b> Genuine spring lamb, positively the choicest obtainable, sold by the hind-quarter, including the loin at— <b>95c ea</b> By the fore-quarter including the prime ribs at <b>55c ea</b>	<b>SPECIAL NO. 7</b> Round steaks, best steer quality at <b>10c lb.</b> or <b>3 lbs. for 25c</b>
<b>SPECIAL NO. 2</b> Fall lamb, hindquarters <b>11 1/2c lb.</b> Forequarters <b>8c lb.</b>	<b>SPECIAL NO. 8</b> Rolled shoulder roast, all bones out, at <b>7 1/2c lb.</b>
<b>SPECIAL NO. 3</b> Choice legs of mutton of yearling sheep at <b>11c lb.</b>	<b>SPECIAL NO. 9</b> Sirloin steaks, <b>12 1/2c lb.</b>
<b>SPECIAL NO. 4</b> Mutton shoulder roast <b>5c lb.</b>	<b>SPECIAL NO. 10</b> Prime rib roast <b>10 and 12 1/2c lb.</b>
<b>SPECIAL NO. 5</b> Legs of veal, 8 to 10 lbs. average, of choice young milk calves at <b>10c lb.</b>	<b>SPECIAL NO. 11</b> Choice Eastern sugar-cured hams, every one guaranteed, government inspected at <b>14c lb.</b> by the ham Limit 1 to a customer.
<b>SPECIAL NO. 6</b> Veal shoulder roast <b>8c lb.</b>	<b>SPECIAL NO. 12</b> Home-made bologna, garlic and liver sausage, all at <b>3 lbs. for 25c</b>

Our other prices are in proportion.

**Washington Market**  
Corner 9th and Washington Streets  
Oakland, Calif.

## \$500 IN PRIZES

Help Oakland and Win a Prize at the Same Time

Every business man, mechanic, capitalist and resident of Oakland is vitally interested in the success of the Chamber of Commerce.

An enlarged membership means added resources, with which a systematic and long needed plan of national advertising can be promoted.

THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE has faith in Oakland and the good work of the Chamber of Commerce.

To assist in building up a stronger organization THE TRIBUNE offers the following prizes to any of its readers:

GOOD UNTIL APRIL 10

To the first person bringing in 300 new members (one month's dues paid in advance), trip to Seattle and return.

To the first person bringing in 200 new members (one month's dues paid in advance), trip to Portland and return.

To the first person bringing in 150 new members (one month's dues paid in advance), trip to Yosemite Valley and return.

To the first person bringing in 100 new members (one month's dues paid in advance), \$50 merchandise order on any leading store in Oakland.

To the first person bringing in 75 new members (one month's dues paid in advance), \$50 gold-watch or jewelry.

To the first person bringing in 50 new members (one month's dues paid in advance), \$25 furniture order or trip to Los Angeles and return and one week's board.

To the first person bringing in 30 new members (one month's dues paid in advance), \$20 merchandise order.

Every citizen of Oakland should join the Chamber of Commerce. THE TRIBUNE'S offer makes it possible for anybody, whether a mechanic, student, salesman, business man, real estate owner or private citizen, to secure one of these valuable prizes.

Consult with Secretary of Chamber of Commerce for membership blanks and further information.

TRIBUNE FOR OAKLAND'S UPBUILDING.







## Just One Week 'Till Easter

And you still have time

To Get Any Suit in the House Made to Your Measure for \$25.00

A new shipment arrived today of Blue Serges, Black Tibets, Black Unfinished Worsteds, Fancy Tweeds and Cheviots, all new Spring and Summer woolsens. The noblest goods ever shown, and all for the one price.

**\$25.00 THAT'S ALL**

Others ask \$30.00, \$35.00, \$40.00. Seeing is believing. Don't forget my guarantee goes with each suit.

**M. BOCK**  
MERCHANT TAILOR  
1003 WASHINGTON ST.



## SUNDAY'S DESSERT

**FROZEN PUDDING FOR SUNDAY**

Don't miss the frozen pudding next Sunday. We are going to make it unusually fine and want all of our friends to have the opportunity of tasting it. Mr. Lehnhardt has made a specialty of Frozen French Puddings for several years and has supplied them for some of the most elaborate dinners that were ever given in this city. The very finest imported French Glace Fruits are used, combined with selected chopped nuts and heavy pastry cream. This dessert if made by yourself would cost you at least \$1.50. The best ones in the East charge 40c a plate for frozen puddings, so you see we are giving you something exceedingly fine at a very low price. IF YOU CALL SUNDAY and take the dessert with you, 50c quart. IF WE DELIVER IT packed in ice in a freezer, 50c quart. Phone orders in tonight if you wish us to deliver it, as it may be very warm Sunday, in which case our wagons will be rushed, and the first orders in will be sure to be delivered.

**AN ELABORATE EASTER DESSERT** We are going to make 20 setting hens out of ice cream, each hen containing a quart of ice cream, and set them upon spun sugar nests containing 2 or 3 ice cream eggs. The price complete will be \$2.50, and the first 20 people to order them will be served. We cannot make over 20, so if you want something extra fine for Easter dinner, phone in tonight and be one of the lucky 20. We guarantee them not to melt.

**SPECIAL—Butter Cup Taffy**—A new candy that you'll all like. Made fresh every 8 hours tomorrow and Sunday. Try it. Get a pound when you get the frozen pudding—50c lb.

**LEHNHARDT'S**  
Candies—Ice Desserts—After-Theater Specialties.

Broadway, Bet. 13th and 14th, Oakland  
Phone Oakland 497. Home Phone A-3497.

## SEEKS DATA FOR DEPTH OF ESTUARY

Engineer Biddle Writes to Learn the Needs of Shippers on Channel

ALAMEDA, April 2.—Colonel John Biddle of the United States Engineer Corps has written to the Chamber of Commerce asking its aid in suggesting channels and a suitable anchorage ground in Oakland harbor, which, he states, will be dredged out by the government in the near future.

The letter is as follows: "Gentlemen: The river and harbor act of March 3, 1909, provides for an examination of Oakland harbor with a view to obtaining a suitable depth and width and sufficient anchorage room. I would be obliged to receive information from you as to what would be considered for the amount of commerce, to be a suitable depth and width and also the point at which anchorage should be established. J. M. BIDDLE, "Colonel U. S. A."

### Important Communication

Secretary Ralph Russell declared this communication was of special importance to this city, as Colonel Biddle had also sent a similar letter to the Oakland commercial organization. Russell declared that Alameda should bestir herself in this matter, as delay on her part would result in Oakland grabbing the whole appropriation for her side of the harbor. On a motion of Dr. Develyn, the matter was ordered to be referred to Mayor E. K. Taylor, whose familiarity with the conditions of the estuary made his opinion of value, and also to the different manufacturing concerns along this side of the estuary. Secretary Russell was also instructed to gather all information possible and to submit a report to Colonel Biddle at an early date.

## CAPITALIST PUTS BURGLAR TO ROUT

Finds Midnight Prowler in Act of Breaking Into Grocery Store

BERKELEY, April 2.—William Acheson, the capitalist, interrupted a burglar in the act of breaking into the grocery store of J. M. Shepard through a rear window last night. Acheson owns the building in which the store is located, at the corner of University and Shattuck avenues, and on returning from a trip to Oakland, made a casual inspection of the back yard before going to his apartments in the third floor. As he turned into the backyard from University avenue he came upon a man in the act of throwing a rock through Shepard's window. Acheson attempted to grapple with the fellow, but in the confusion attending the falling glass and the surprise of Acheson, the night prowler managed to jump a fence and disappeared in the direction of Walnut street through some vacant lots. Acheson is not a sprinter and decided not to attempt the chase.

## J. M. KOFORD IS NOW RULER OF THE ELKS

BERKELEY, April 2.—James M. Koford, deputy district attorney of this city, has been elected exalted ruler of the Elks, to succeed J. D. Waterman. Koford was among the charter members of the organization, and passed through successive offices to the highest in the lodge.

Other officers to be installed next Wednesday night were elected as follows: Herbert S. Jones, esteemed loyal knight; George W. Skilling, esteemed lecturing knight; F. M. Scovener, treasurer; Joseph S. Mills, secretary; K. Sullivan; Dr. W. H. Billings; trustee J. M. MacDermott; delegate to grand lodge, J. D. Waterman; alternate delegate, Professor P. R. Boone.

## SCHOOL CHILDREN TO HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC

BERKELEY, April 2.—The members of the Sunday school of the West Berkeley M. E. church will hold their annual picnic in the Berkeley hills tomorrow morning. The expedition will be in charge of the superintendent and about fifty young folks will participate. The members of the Epworth League of the church will hold their regular monthly social this evening at the home of the pastor, Rev. David Halston, 2215 Seventh street.

The Rev. William Higgs, vicar of the Church of the Good Shepherd, West Berkeley, will preach Sunday evening on the subject of "The Church of the Future," at the home of the pastor, Rev. David Halston, 2215 Seventh street.

## PROMINENT BERKELEY WOMAN LAID AT REST

BERKELEY, April 2.—The funeral of Miss Juliet White Canavan, niece of Mrs. John Garber, wife of the well-known jurist, was held yesterday from the home of the Garbers, in Claremont, under the auspices of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, of which Miss Canavan was a parishioner. Miss Canavan died Wednesday, after a short illness. The interment took place in the Mountain View cemetery.

## YOUNG WOMEN GIVE A MUSICAL RECITAL

BERKELEY, April 2.—The Echoes Arden recital, set to music by Richard Strauss, was presented this afternoon at St. John's Presbyterian Church before a large audience. Among the young women taking part in the production were Misses Marguerite Roberts, Lella Hathaway, Ethel Wickson, Mary Downey, Mary Blossom, Lou Scott, Etta Fraser, Phoebe Stacey and Catherine Norgard.

If you are in need of a good timepiece it will pay you to investigate the great clock sale now going on at H. Morton's Jewelry Store, Broadway at 14th Street. Many Clocks are being offered at wholesale price. See the display in his bargain window, 14th Street.

# S. N. WOOD & CO.

The largest retailers of apparel in the West

## A Legitimate Saving

When it comes to giving values, all merchants who buy of the wholesaler are in about the same position; they buy the best they can get—pay the wholesaler his profit—and then add their own.

We are manufacturers—operate our own workshops in New York City—make the best clothing that experience and skill can produce—we do not pay any wholesale profits, nor do you when you buy here.

The saving we make you is a legitimate one, for it is not made at the expense of either style, character or worth.

## Men's Business Suits

Our Great Special **\$15.00** Unequaled Anywhere

Just examine the splendid high-grade suits we are selling for \$15.00—no argument is needed—no word of ours to show their superiority—suits you'd think would demand a much higher price—and so they would if we were compelled to buy of the wholesaler. Our extensive variety ranges in price up to \$40.00, includes all the most wanted patterns of the now reigning Spring and Summer fashions.

### Men's Hat Special

We offer an unusually good hat for \$2.50; guaranteed to wear well, or replaced by a new hat free; soft and stiff hats in all colors and black. Styles for every fancy, shapes for every face. **\$2.50**

### Neckwear Special 25c

Bengaline narrow reversible four-in-hand; 12 new, brilliant colors; actually worth twice this price. **25c**

### Men's Shirt Special

New shirts; attractive patterns, splendid styles; a third less than usually priced; from another striking special for Easter. Lay in your supply. **\$1.00**

### Boys' Felt Hats \$1.50

Boys' hats of a splendid grade soft felt, in browns, tans, green, steel and black. They are trimmed like hats sold for twice this price. Eight new popular styles.

### Children's Straw Hats

You should see the hats we are selling for 25c, 50c and \$1.00—extraordinary values and a big assortment at each price. From \$1.50 to \$9 we show all the novelties this season has brought forth. You are sure to see many styles that will please you.

### Confirmation Suits

With Extra Pants. **\$5.35**

#### Blue Serges

Excellent true blue Serges—in either Norfolk or Buddy Tucker Suits (as illustrated) for boys 8 to 15 years of age, with an extra pair of plain trousers to match, for \$5.35.

These Suits are the latest models—they are splendidly tailored—cut full and swaggy. Knickerbocker pants lined throughout, a value that we can positively state cannot be duplicated elsewhere; besides this, the extra pants free!

### French Linen Dresses \$1.75

Child's dresses made of French Linen, neatly trimmed with pliant round neck and sleeves, sizes 4 to 12 in colors, light blue, pink, brown and striped; especially priced. **\$1.75**

#### Dainty Mull Dresses \$3.50

Dainty Mull dresses, Dutch neck, neatly trimmed with new pattern embroidery; full French garments; with only sizes 4 to 12—remarkable values at **\$3.50**

#### Girls' Sailor Suit \$6.00

Regulation Sailor Suits in navy blue serge; sizes 4 to 14, at **\$6.00**

**Washington at 11th Street, Oakland**

## Money-Saving Plans

is the title of a small booklet which we have just published, dealing with the subject of saving. It makes no attempt to convince people they should save—every normal person knows he should without being told—but it does suggest some of the plans followed with success by money-savers in every walk of life.

Call at the bank or send for a copy free; it will take less than twenty minutes to read it through, but it may be the means of starting you on the road to independence.

## First Trust and Savings Bank

(Affiliated in ownership with the First National Bank of Oakland.)

First National Bank Building

### NEIGHBORHOOD UPSET BY FIRING OF SHOTS

BERKELEY, April 2.—Five shots were heard last night in the vicinity of Bowditch avenue and Dwight way, which caused the neighborhood and caused many complaints to come in to the police, who are investigating the matter. Police men Wright and Thompson, who were in the neighborhood, state as their belief that the "Pirate" club of University students, whose house was lighted up, was responsible for the noise. Wright believes that the reports came from torpedoes on the street car track.

### IMPROVEMENT CLUB WILL HEAR CANDIDATES

ALAMEDA, April 2.—The North Side Improvement Club will hold a mass meeting tonight in Judge Taylor's court room in the City Hall. All the candidates for office have been invited to attend and to give free expression of their policies and to explain fully their stand on matters of public importance.

**SADDLE ROCK CAFE.**  
Have you tried our 40c lunch? If not, it's time.

### SEEK WILLIAM TELLS, ARROWS AND APPLES

ALAMEDA, April 2.—William Tell has come to town. That is, two youths who are endeavoring to simulate William in archery, named Fred Smith and Andrew Ghilini have been using their bows and arrows, much to the annoyance of Mrs. A. Blanchard, at 2220 Clement avenue. While there has been an absence of apples, not the arrows aimed toward the Blanchard home have caused many heart flutterings within the confines of the Blanchard walls, and the blue-coats have been asked to seek out the arrows, the apples and the boys. The case has been referred to Judge R. B. Tappan, and a lecture is expected to be delivered by his honor, to the little Tells.

### GEORGE HALL ANSWERS CALL OF GRIM REAPER

BERKELEY, April 2.—George H. Hall, husband of Mrs. Theodora Hall, and father of George, Clarence and Ellen Hall, aged 47 years, died at his home, 1738 Blake street, Wednesday. The funeral took place this afternoon from St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Oakland.

### WOULD BE SUICIDE ON ROAD TO RECOVERY

BERKELEY, April 2.—Mrs. P. S. Glasford, the aged woman who was found in an unconscious state from asphyxiation by gas Wednesday morning in her room at the residence of Mrs. Allan McDonald, 2435 Dwight way, regained consciousness at the Roosevelt Hospital yesterday afternoon, and the attendants believe that her recovery is assured.

Just how the gas happened to be turned on has not yet been decided. Mrs. Glasford being still too sick to make any statement, but her friends and relatives advance the theory of intended suicide as the only reasonable explanation.

### STEAMER CARMEL GOES ON THE ROCKS

ALAMEDA, April 2.—Mayor E. K. Taylor received word from Astoria this morning that the steamer Carmel, in which both Mayor Taylor and Captain Jack Lancaster have large interests, went on the rocks at Clatsop spit in the Columbia river, losing her rudder and a portion of her keel. The Carmel displayed signals of distress and was towed off by a passing tug, which took the disabled steamer into Astoria, where she was put on the dry dock this morning.

The rocks at Clatsop spit is one of the worst menaces to navigation on the coast, and several vessels have been lost on the dangerous reef within the past twenty years.

### GIVE TWO LECTURES ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE

BERKELEY, April 2.—Two lectures on woman suffrage were given yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. C. Hall at the head of Dwight way. Professor Coman of Wellesley College discussed the question, and James Wharton James spoke of "Why College Women Should Be Interested in Equal Suffrage."

## Children's Trimmed Hats Specially Priced for Vacation Week

**PRETTY LEGHORNES**—This dainty little hat is daily trimmed with wreaths of flowers and leaves, with bows of ribbon. Special. **\$2.50**

**POPULAR SAILORS**—Trimmed with pretty ribbon bands and streamers. Special. **50c**

**FINE MILAN STRAWS**—Trimmed with fancy scarf with pretty fringed edge. Special. **\$2.95**

**KINDLY NOTE OUR ADDRESS:**



**Friend's**

125 San Pablo Ave.  
3 Doors from 16th St.











**DEPARTURES  
AND  
ARRIVALS  
OAKLAND**

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1909

LEAVE	Arrive
7:50a--Stockton, San Pablo, Martinez, Bay Point, etc.	6:25p
7:34a--Richmond, etc.	

	Alhambra, Sacramento,	Roseville,	
	Altamont, Modesto,	Sacramento,	
	Red Bluff, Anderson, Redding,		
	Dunsmuir, Colusa,	Woodland	
	Elkville, Davis,		
	Willows, Williams,	Kingsburg,	
	Orcutt, Corning,	Tehama — Plumas,	
	Wendyville, Wrecker,	Gutierrez,	
8:15 A.	Rimney, Santa Rosa, Napa, St.		8:30 P.
	Felena, Calistoga, Merced,		
9:00 A.	Cornucopia, San Ramon, Pleasanton		
	— Butte,		
	Port Costa, Martinez, Antioch,		8:30 A.
	Bear, Yuba City, Marysville,		
	Moro, Merced, Fresno, Sacto,		
	Junction, Ukiah, Fort Bidwell,		
	Pella, Lindsay,		
	Barfield, Yosemite Valley		
9:25 A.	In Accord and Chico,		
	Astoria Express, Port Costa,		
	Kingston, Marysville, Eureka,		
	Manito, Coalinga, Truckee, Reno,		
	Winemereen, Little Mountain,		
	Coburn, Del Norte,		8:45 P.
10:00 A.	Meridian Limited—Oroquieta,		
	Chico, Denver, Salt Lake,		
	Rapids, Chicago,		
	City, Denver, Salt Lake		
	Des Moines, Culicson, No. 10		
10:15 A.	passengers carried between San		
	Francisco and Portland		
	Angelo Passenger—Rich-		
	mond, Port Costa		

ford, Lemoore—Visalia.....	7:07p
Vallejo, Mare Island—Napa	
11:17a Junction, Napa .....	10:30a
Richmond, Port Costa Interurb.	

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Colfax, Truckee, Boca, Reno  
(Wadsworth), Inzen (Fallon),  
Rattle Mountain, Palisade,  
Elko, Cobre, Ogden, Salt Lake

7:30p	City, St. Louis, Chicago, Kansas	8:40p
	Sunday only—Steele, Richmond, Portland, Vallejo, Crockett, Port Costa, Martinez	9:10p
8:57p	Oregon Express—Port Costa, Benicia, Sacramento, Marysville, Griddle, Chico, Colusa, Red Bluff, Shasta, Weed (Machuel), Colusa, Klamath Falls, Portland	9:00p
9:37p	China and Japan—Port Costa, Benicia, Sacramento, Truckee, Reno, Colusa, Chico, Marysville, Port, Kan. City, Omaha, Chicago	2:47p

7.17a—San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward,  
Decoto, Niles, Irvington, Mil-  
pitas, San Jose. . . . . 5:30p  
Connects at San Jose with No.

Linax, Colorado, Paso Robles Hot Springs, Atascadero, Santa Margarita, San Luis Obispo, Pismo, Oceano, Panderburg, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Ojai, San Angeles, Compton, Palmdale, Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Boulder Creek, Glenwood, Castleville-Del Monte, Monterey, San Jose.	8:00a 8:02p
6:16a-Niles, Eureka, Livermore, Altamont, Chley, Midway, Newman, Stockton, Turlock, Newman, Los Banos, Kernman, Fresno, Hanford, Visalia, Porterville, Bakersfield.	8:04a
8:28a-Russell, Alvarado, Newell, Clovis, Agnew, Santa Clara, San Jose, San Gabriel, Santa Laurel, Santa Ana, Santa Ana, Santa Ana, Connecta, San Santa Clara.	8:06a

Robles Hot Springs, Arizona, San Luis Obispo, Hollister, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Cal. Agents, 75-77

1:30a	Aliso, Pacific Grove	1:10p
1:30a	Stockton, Lodi, Galt, Sacramento, Red Bluff, Oakdale, Colusa, Marysville, Marysville, Tumulus, Angels	1:12p
1:30p	San Jose, San Jose, Hayward, Niles, Irvington, Warm Springs, San Jose	1:20p
2:15p	Benning, San Jose, Newark, Aliso, Agnew, Santa Clara, San Jose	2:14p
2:30p	Connects at San Jose with No. 28, Del Monte Express—Gilroy, Santa Clara, Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Castroville, Santa Cruz, Monterey, Pacific Grove, Salinas	2:30p
2:30p	San Leandro, Lorenzo, San Decoto, Niles, Irvington, San Jose	2:30p
	Connects at San Jose with No. 28, Del Monte Express	

No. 10. Sunset Express—  
Palo, San Antonio, New Or-  
leans, Washington, D. C., New

	for Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago.....	
	No. 10—Butler, .....	
	Hot Springs, Atascadero, San Diego, Oshkosh, Gainsville, Moor, Santa Barbara.....	
	Hard, Los Angeles—Watsonville, Aptos, Capitola, Santa Rosa, De Santa, Monte, Monterey, Mae Grove.....	2:00p
9:30p	Midway, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi. Arrive via Martinez Station.....	
9:10p	San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles, Buholi. Pleasant Valley, Livermore.....	9:30p
9:37p	Russell, Mt. Eden, Newark, Castroville.....	10:15p
	Jose. Connects at Santa Clara with No. 62, Wright Passenger— Countryside.....	
9:58p	Geos. Aliza, Eva. Wright— San Leandro, Lorenzo, Hayward, Decoto, Niles.....	10:30p
9:16p	Phila. San Jose.....	9:30p
	San Leandro, .....	
	San Jose, .....	
	San Jose, .....	9:10p

in, Los Angeles, Anaheim, Long Beach, Santa Ana, Orange, Fullerton, Buena Vista, Brea, Tustin, Newport Beach, Laguna Hills, Laguna Beach, San Juan Capistrano, San Clemente, San Marcos, San Dimas, San Gabriel, San Bernardino, Redlands, Rosemead, San Gabriel, San Dimas, San Marcos, San Juan Capistrano, San Clemente, Laguna Beach, Laguna Hills, Newport Beach, Buena Vista, Brea, Tustin, Fullerton, Orange, Santa Ana, Long Beach, Anaheim, Los Angeles.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC STEAMER SERVICE  
(Oakland Harbor Ferry, Broadway Wharf.)  
6:00a. \*7:00a. \*\*7:30a. \*8:00a. 8:00a. \*10:00a.  
10:30a. \*11:00a. 12:00m. \*1:00p. \*\*1:30p.  
2:00p. 3:00p. \*4:00p. \*\*4:30p. \*5:00p.  
7:00p. \*\*7:30p. \*8:00p. 8:00p. \*10:30p.  
1:00m. Colquhounville Life Buoy. Island.

land, Sacramento, from San Francisco, south and Ferry Building ..... "11:00 a.m.  
Sundays excepted. \*\*Sunday only, other

**NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.**  
In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.  
In the matter of the estate of William Sharwood, deceased. Notice of time set for proving said will, to-wit:

Notice is hereby given that a petition or the probate of the will of William Sharwood, deceased, and for the issuance of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that the same will be heard on April 1, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M.

I, said day, at the Courtroom of Deceased County of Alameda, in the County House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set

person interested may appear and contest the same.  
Dated March 29, 1909.

By W. W. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.  
JAS. S. SPILMAN, Attorney for Plaintiff.  
Prisoner, Marston bldg., 224 Kearny St.,  
San Francisco, Cal.

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**FOUND**  
 IF YOU LOSE ANYTHING—Advertise in here. It will be returned to you if found. If not, the advertiser will be paid for the advertisement. The advertiser will be paid for the advertisement. The advertiser will be paid for the advertisement.

The Tribune, Office, Eighth and Franklin and 1038 Broadway.

THE LAW—Section 483, Penal Code of California, states in requiring finders of lost property to seek the owner through advertisement and otherwise, and failure to do so, if it can be proven, involves a severe penalty.

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ERMINE collar, supposed to have been lost around 17th and Castro sts. 1 1/2 inch toward given by returning to 600 17th st.

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home of clean-cut, attractive  
owner. Plenty of room for  
work; hardwood floors; beau-  
tiful up-hillside fixtures; ex-  
cellent location; beautiful view  
wealth of sunshine and flowers;  
charming and picturesque loca-  
tion; near 12th & half cash.

**Central Fruitvale Home**  
—Excellent in cheapest location of  
semi-urban area. 2-story home,  
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—N. 1-200 feet frontage, near  
Pablo ave., war car line and S.  
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built here would find rapid sale.

**Pleasant Pledmont Corner**  
—No home too expensive to give  
this superior corner 83125. Look  
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wardrobe, deep closets, laundry  
37 65-100. \$2500 mortgage; can  
main, near 33d and West sts.

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vacant; near center bus  
MAKING OFFER. Will submit  
\$1000 mortgage.

**Special Value**  
—Modern cottage, 4 rooms, bathtub,  
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cash, balance on terms. Be-  
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**TAYLOR BROS. REAL ESTATE CO.**  
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1216 Broadway, Phone Oakland 1-5500  
\$2000 SACRIFICE.

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This grand piece of ground is  
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thwest of street. (2027)  
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line. (1173)  
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## OBJECTS TO SYSTEM OF TAXING TIMBER LANDS Willis J. Walker Makes Some Suggestions

On Sunday last THE TRIBUNE contained the following editorial paragraph: "Thomas H. Walker, who owns 175,000 acres of the most valuable timber land in Siskiyou and Shasta counties, is according to his son, Richard Walker, who has to pay taxes on an assessed valuation of \$1,700,000, or less than \$10 an acre. Where the kick comes in is not clear, for when the Federal government can loan to lumbermen the forestation of national reserves in the same neighborhood for a rental of \$22 per annum, subjecting the lumbering to the supervision of the government's forest wardens, it is pretty conclusive evidence that the value of the forest lands of the State are being greatly underestimated by the county assessors. In the light of that fact the Walkers have no kick coming. To the contrary they should consider themselves lucky in being assessed so lightly. If they are paying \$20,000 a year in the way of taxes on their vast holdings, it is merely paying the penalty of over availability."

### Involves Big Outlay

Willis J. Walker explained in an interview with a TRIBUNE representative that the acquisition of a large tract of the forest lands in Siskiyou and Shasta counties by his father, Thomas H. Walker, is not prompted by avarice, but is based on sound business and economic principles. "Our purpose is being understood and the situation is simply this," said young Walker, "the timber lands we are buying are located in the inaccessible parts of Siskiyou and Shasta counties, between the 4000 and 6000 foot lines above sea level. They consist chiefly of pine, which is different from Eastern and Canadian pine, insofar as it cannot be rafted down the streams as such a large proportion of it is non-floating, sinks to the bottom and is lost. Lumbering on that account has proved unprofitable there to every one who has hitherto attempted it. And to utilize the merchantable timber economically, it involves the construction of a railroad to reach it, which will cost from \$100,000 to \$1,000,000. An investment of that sum of money is not justified by anyone unless the tract of timber land is large enough to guarantee a profitable return."

### An Elaborate Scheme

"Our purpose has been to acquire through the purchase of small holdings in this timber belt an area large enough to justify this big investment in order to make it commercially available and avoid the immense losses of logs incurred by floating down the streams to suitable mill locations. When the area

necessary to assure the success of the enterprise is purchased, our plans provide for systematically lumbering the forest without denuding the land, cutting out only the ripe timber and leaving the younger growth to mature. By this method a second growth is assured and reforestation is unnecessary. In fact, the lumber resources of the timber belt will be perpetuated by natural processes and there will also be a minimum of waste. This is the system of foresting the national reserves in which the Forestry Bureau has adopted. But the timber land that we have already purchased must naturally remain idle until we have obtained an area large enough to justify the investment necessary in making lumbering under the system outlined profitable and prevent the total deforestation of the land."

### Discrimination in Assessment

"The objection that we have against the assessment by the Siskiyou and Shasta county assessors is that it discriminates against us and the carrying out of a national system of lumbering in the best interests of forestry. The assessors tax our lands on the presumption that it is to be denuded of all of its timber at once, as the smaller holders of timber land in these counties are taxed, and then abandoned, when taxing ceases. On this presumption they have pushed up the taxes on us three times already and there seems to be no end to it. The location of our timber is such that it is comparatively of little value because of its inaccessibility and the waste created by present methods of logging and the immense expense which must be incurred to make the timber available and profitable to log."

### Ruinous Taxation

"For example: I bought a short while ago a tract of 800 acres for \$4 per acre. On the basis of the assessment which the county assessors have adopted respecting our other lands, I presume they will fix on this tract arbitrarily an assessable valuation of \$5 per acre. Such a system of assessment means ultimately the confiscation of the property by bankrupting us before we are in a position to make the enterprise productive. These timber land owners who are denuding the land completely of all its timber cannot afford to pay the same tax when it is reforested as they are called upon to pay when cutting, so the territory cut over is abandoned."

"In Minnesota, a national system of lumbering is encouraged by imposing only a stumpage tax when the timber is being cut, unless the clearing is done for utilizing the land afterwards for agricultural purposes. Vermont is similarly considering the same plan of taxation. Canada imposes, also, only a cutting tax on the timber lands. Now we are paying a high tax on timber land and doing no cutting. The policy of taxation in the counties in which our lands lie seems, however, to be based erroneously on the prospects of quick clearing."

### Precaution Against Fires

"We are spending a large sum of money to clear the underbrush to prevent future forest fires and to protect those trees which have been partially damaged by forest fires in the past so that the damage will not be increased by any later forest fires. Gangs of rascals men in each are working in a long regular line through the forest, banking up the earth against the base of those trees that have been partially burned by fires which have run through the timber in the past, and removing all the underbrush save the young timber growth. In carrying out this plan of protection against forest fires we have in self defense been compelled to clear a wide path in other lands than our own. We have spent already \$50,000 in this work of forest protection. It is part of our plan to treat the whole area in the same way."

### Not Renting Lands

"Now, as to the assertion that the government is renting its forest lands for lumbering at \$22 per acre. It is not, in fact, renting any of these lands except for sheep and cattle grazing. It simply sells the stumpage to mills located close to the national forests. These mills can well afford to pay \$22 per acre for the stumpage, for the ripe timber only is cut out, as marked by the forest wardens and logging to the mills is easy and comparatively inexpensive. All that we are asking from the assessors of Siskiyou and Shasta counties is fair treatment and to cease discriminating against us by taxing our property as productive timber land when it is producing nothing and cannot produce anything until an enormous outlay is made to make it available, or on the erroneous assumption that it is to be denuded as other lumber men are denuding their lands, to be left, as quickly as possible, in a barren and non-taxable condition."

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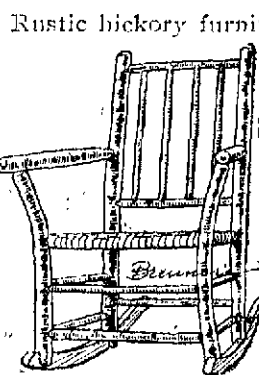
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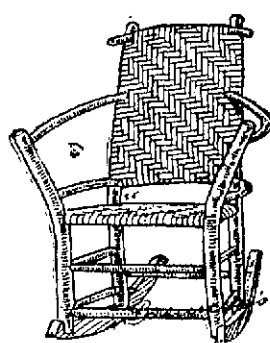
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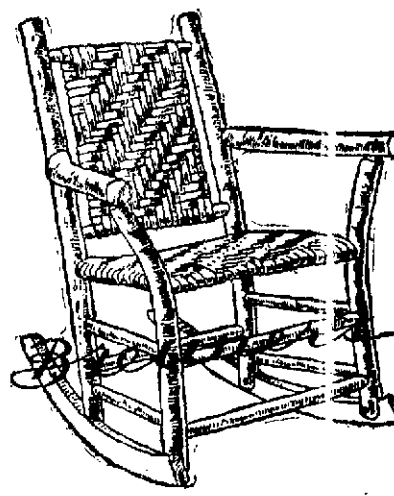
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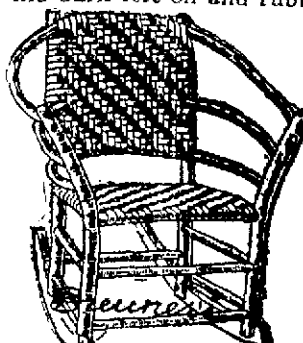
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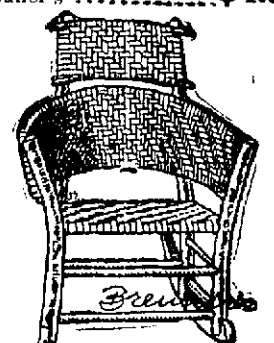
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### PROMINENT ODD FELLOW BURIED AT ST. HELENA

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### PIONEER DIES FROM STROKE OF APOPLEXY

SAN LEANDRO, April 2.—Manuel Bulcon, a pioneer farmer of this place, died yesterday from a stroke of apoplexy. The aged man was stricken Tuesday. The funeral arrangements have not been announced.

## Easter Clothes for Men

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